. R. GORIN.

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e late Jerome R. at the First M. E. September 4, at 3:30 ill be in charge of J'. Howe, and the be direction of Beau-, No. 9, Knights in Greenwood cem-

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nd John Hatfield. ander of this state. y, will send a repre-

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atur will close at 2 p. mber 4, as a mark of Jerome R. Gerin and s and their employes d services.

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O GO AWAY. Not Want to Walk

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RATE TO STAND TILL DECEMBER. For."

National Convention of Miners Called for Sept. 8 to Ratify the Agreement-Some Miners Say It Will Fail.

Columbus, Ohio, Sept. 4.—The miners' excentive board and a committee representing the largest operators of the Pittsburg district reached an agrement last evening As a result a circular was prepared for immediate transmission to the local unions calling a national convention of miners for September 8, to be held in this city. President Ratchford expressed himself as perfectly satisfied with the outcome of the conference, and was especially well pleased because of the mutual good feeling which dominated both factions | The circular is in part as follows:

At a conference held at Columbus, Ohie, on September 2 and 3, between the national executive board and district presidents of the United Mine Workers' of America and representative committee of the l'ittsburg district operators, whom apparent that a national conference of opcrature and miners could not be convened, the following propositions were submitted by the representatives of the Pittsburg eperators to the executive board and district presidents as the basis of a settlement to terminate the present strike.

·1. The resumption of work at a 640 rate of mining, the submitting of the question to a board of arbitration to determine what the price shall be, the maximum to a 69c and the minimum to be Sec a ton, the price to be effective from the date of resuming work.

 $^{12}$ . A straight price of 650 a ton to continue in torce until the end of the year, with the additional mutual understanding that a joint meating of operators and rate of mining shall be thereafter.

"Your executive board and district presidents after much deliberation and a thorough consideration of the two propositions, do recommend the latter as in their judgment the best that can be secured because of circumstances that are frightful explosions of natural gas occur- week. Mills have been buying more apparent to all who study market condi- red in Broad Ripple, a suburb six miles freely to replace wools rapidly consumed tions since the inauguration of the strike. You however, are the court of final admade of the general situation at the con-

vention. deemed advisable, for the reason that provisions are made in the uniformity of relative differential between pick and machine mining, which will, we anticipate, do much toward furnishing us with more reliable data on that question than will be beneficial to us in settling questions as between machine and plok min-

STRIKERS DISSATISFIED.

Sixty-Nine Cents or Nothing is the Cry of Pittsburg.

Pittsburg, Sept. 4.—Nearly everybody here except the miners themselves are rejolding over the news from Columbus that the miners' officials and the committee of operators had reached an agreement. The strikers are not pleased and whether they accept the settlement will depend on the weight of the arguments of their officials. For the past two days the strikers have been declaring that they would accept 69c or nothing, and at all the camps banners bearing these words have been displayed. Sixty-five in Pittsburg will make the rate in Ohio and the Competitive fields of Illinois and Indiana Fig., there being a differential of 9c in liver of the western operators whose coal 15 not so good nor as easily mined as the

Parick Kelly, a member of the district Supposed that Anarchists are Behind the Pitt-burg product. executive board, said to a correspondent standing that we would stay out until the a supposed anarchist, who was subse- assured the Indian corn crop. On the Operators agreed to meet the demand. As quently arrested.

a rule, there is no half way measures about the coal miners. We helieve in all IS NOT TEMPORARY. or nothing, especially in a case like the present, when we have the strike won, Will Agree on a Flat Rate of 65 behind the settlement that we do not Business Gathers in Volume and pine lumber, such and doors, iron and door It is possible that there are some things know anything about now. Unless there are good reasons for accepting the compromise I am afraid many of the miners, if not a majority, will vote to continue the strike until we get what we struck

> Sixty cents was the highest rate paid before the strike. Among the few companles paying 600 was M. A. Hanna & Co. A good digger will not average over Liabilities in the Failures for the Week

two and one half or three tons per day. To the air of the "Rogues' March, played by a drum and fife corps, Charles Morgan, a principent striker, was drummed out of Camp Isolation. Mergan was a delegate to the last district convention when the strike was declared. He was charged with being a spy in the employ of W. P. De Armitt. Ever since the camps were satablished the miners' officials bave been aware that somecne in camp was giving advance information of marches to the sheriff. Suspicion fell on Morgan. He was dramatically ejected.

PRESIDENT DOLAN RETURNS.

Cempromise Proposition. Pittsburg, Sept. 4. - District President Dolan of the United Mine Workers, returned from Columbus this morning and went at once to beadquarters, where he held a consultation with the other district officials. When the conference closed a call was issued for a delegate convention in this city next Tuesday to consider the we consented to meet only after it became | Columnub proposition. The call advises the delegates to come uninstructed. He declined to say what he thought the convention would do. Meetings will be held all over the district Monday to elect celegates to discuss the situation. It is be lieved the general sentiment will be to accept the terms and go to work and await another advance in January, which is assured if the uniformity agreement is accepted by 95 per cent of the operators.

NATURAL GAS EXPLOSION.

Many Killed and Wounded and Town on Fire Near Indianapolis.

Indianapolis, Ind., Sept.4.—Broad Ripple, a suburban village six miles north, had two natural gas explosions this forenoon. Two dead bodies were taken from jured. The busines portion of the town reflected in the outgo. is burning. The city fire department was asked to send aid

Later Report. Indianapolis, Ind., Sopt. 4 -Two north this afternoon. Five men were killed and the seriously injured number solves what your actions shall be and between 20 and 30. The business part of in a year. Great quantities are held by when work shall be resumed. Additional the town took fire and the largest build- dealers in the west above the prices yet Two Men and a Horse Killed, Bridge Damreasons will be given and a full report ings were destroyed. Indianapolis was paid in the seaboard markets. called on for help and sent engines and doctors. The first explosion occurred at advance in price makes them 4. per cent gates come untrammeled by resolutions J. L. Wast's drug store from unknown from the lowest average on August 12. the Odd Fellows hall, underneath which and wire nails and all have advanced an is Pious Gresh's grocery store, seeing the average of \$1 per ton. Southern and westdistrict, and which it is expected will be fire spreading Gresh and 20 men were reoperative in that district on and after moving his stock when a crushing explo- prices of pig 25 cents; Bessemer at Fitts-January 1, 1898, to arbitrate the question sion occurred in this building. The walls burg has risen 10 cents and eastern marwe posses at present, and to that extent in the tuilding were badly injured, sev. Lackawanna company. eral fatally. Nearly every one suffered a broken arm or leg. The fire spread from in every direction. Five buildings were at \$4.10. blazing at once and were doomed before community turned out and there was work for all to do in rescuing the injured, now threatened with the danger of death by fire. Hurried calls for help were sent to this city. The hespital and dispensary doctors took the first Ripple cars and the fire department loaded an engine on a Monon flat car and started for the scene. with five business blooks destroyed. The Jacob Darling, crushed by failing walls; Charles Yountz, found in grocery ruins; two unknown bodies burned to a crisp.

TWO SPANISH POLICEMEN SHOT.

Attempt to Klitthe Officers.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS, SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 4, 1897.

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CONDITIONS ARE RIGHT.

Less Than for Many Years -Exports of Wheat Very Large.

New York, Sept. 4.—R. G. Dun & Co's weekly review of business says today:

"Failures in August were in number not more than 17 per cent less than in Report that His Life Had Been Threatened August, 1896, but in amount of liabilities 70.8 per cent smaller. July and August show a lower average of liabilities per failure than has every been known is any year or even in a quarter of the 23 years that R. G. Dun & Co. have kept quarterly records. With the extraordinary movement in grain, heavy real estate and building transactions and increased business in iron products the month is clearly the best business August ever

"Wheat continued its reaction until it had fallen four cents more, but then rose tion. three cents with the first revival of foreign buying. Western receipts are very large, though not quite as large as a year ago, but Atlantic exports, flour included, rose 5,535,000 bushels for the week, against 2,175,000 last year. Estimates which command confidence still indicate a yield of from 550,000,000 to 580,000,000 bushels, winter wheat turning out so much beyond expectations as to balance much of the loss in spring wheat.

"Foreign accounts do not improve and unless they are much more deceptive than usual the demand for American wheat will far exceed the quality which can be spared.

"Continued large exports of corn and buying for export show still more clearly the exetut of deficiencies abroad. Western receipts for the week were 10,065,000 bushels, against 8,160,000 last year, and for the purpose of determining what the the ruins. Fifteen to twenty are badly in-

"Cotton mills are now turning out great quantities of goods in response to heavy purchases recently made.

and the goods market has been so large and strong that they are encouraged to purchase even after a rise of 50 per cent

"Improvement in the iron and steel industry gains momentum and a further were blown out and the upper floor fell in kets are stronger. Demand for cars is pressing and work for railways increases. on the men. Gresh and Jacob Darling, The first shipment of steel rails from this a painter, were taken out dead. Others country to Australia was 2000 tons by the

"Tin is slightly lower at \$18 65, but heavy exports, said to cover 15,000,000 pounds for the next three months, susthe Odd Fellows ball and drug store ruins tain copper at 111/4 cents and lead strong

keep the works well employed.

"Failures in the United States for the week wore 191, against 834 last year." Bradstreets.

New York, Sept. 4.—Bradstreets' re-

view says:

"Previous activity in all lines of trade the demand from jobbers and the volume of business in wool, leather, clothing, The flames were under control at noon, bats, groceries and light hardware has in- Spring company, whose residence is at 99 with new numbers broken death; woolen and cotton goods, jewelry and within the last 10 days. He admits that his being held to answer, and on Saturble dead are: Pious Gresh, burned to death; rubber goods and for books and shoes his hotter has left the city, but says had oreased. There is a better request for steel mills have orders to keep them busy ance. until January 1. In the central western states the bituminous coal strike has bad a further depressing effect on the general Barcelona, Sept. 4.-The chief of police industrial situation. In the northwest on the 65c sattlement will be rejected and assistant chief, who directed the inwhen we meet in convention. We struck vestigation into the Barcelona bomb outfor one and came out with the under-

chooked by the inability to secure crows for vessels. Mercantile collections and THE BLIND BAGGAGE the unprecedented expansion of prices for staples has continued, wool, cotton and woolen fabrics, hides, leather, white steel bars, biliets and rods, wire nails, barbed wire and southern foundry iron, wheat, corn, lard and sugar having advanced and higher prices, being expected for boots and shoes. Lower prices are recorded for cotton, wheat, flour and coffee, while those of oats, pork, print cloths,

petroleum and coal are unchanged. "This week's exports of wheat are the largest with two exceptions, the second week of September and the fourth week of August in 1891. Total shipments amount to 6,368,000 bushels against 3,370,000 last year.

"Shipments of corn are also large, aggregating 3,185,000 bushels this week, against 2,528,000 last year."

M'KINLEYEGUARDED.

Columbus, Ohio, Sept. 4,-Excitement was caused here yesterday by a report that President McKinley's life bad been

An unsigned letter of warning was sent to Mayor Black in the morning. He posed assassination of the president. The reason given for the contemplated attack was President McKinley's appointment of T. V. Powderly, the labor leader, to the position of commissioner of immigra-

The persons implicated in the alleged plot were said not to be anarchists, but union laboring men who are opposed to monopolies.

At the close of the day the mayor and the director of public safety said they regarded the letter as a hoax.

General Alger last night declared the piublication of the letter was an cutrage. The excitement increased to a high pitch during the McKinley parade by the evident care taken by an army of police to-guard the body of the president. The parade was from the Union station to the Great Southern hotel, thence to the state

fair ground. The letter received by Mayor Black is in a disguised hand and unsigned except by a series of Greek characters, and was as follows: "Be on your guard; there is a plot against McKinley to make away with him because be appointed Powder-They are for organized labor and against monopoly."

The letter was given to Director Williams, who thought it was undoubtedly His Attentions to Mrs. Bradbury and Subthe work of some rattle brained person to ors, being 16,568,500 pounds for the oreste a scare, but at the same time it attention and the most careful surveillance of the president's person while in the city was exercised.

NITRO-GLYCEINE EXPLOSION.

aged and Windows Broken.

Monongahela, Pa., Sept. 4 .-- By an explosion of nitro-glycerine this morning bury caused a runture between himself under 15: Chester Sciby woo, Arthur two men and a horse were killed and a and Bradbury, and it was rumored that Tunnison second, Harold Phelps third. and uninstructed other than to act in causes. Five were injured there and the Demand has increased for sheets and buggy demolished, and the bridge across your test interest. At this time it is building was set on fire. Arcoss the street plates, especially for bridge and ship the Monongahela so badly damaged that the Odd Fellows hall, underneath which ed. The windows in the vicinity were broken and residents for a mile were awakened by the concussion. It is supposed the men had glycerine in their buggy and that a sudden jolt caused the ex-

CHURCH OFFICIALS' SHORTAGE. charles N. Charnley of the Fourth Presby terian Church of Chicago Gets Away with \$115,000 of Church Funds.

Chloago, Sept. 4 .- Charles M. Charnley, a prominent member and elder of the Fourth Presbyterian church, the treasurer "In boot and shee buying is still most- of its parish benevolent society, and for 15 belp could be attempted. The entire ly for immediate needs, but sufficient to years the treasurer of the national Pres byterian society known as Aid for Colleges and Academies, is a defaulter. The amount of his shortage is at present unknown but from indications it probably exceeds \$115,000.

Charnley himself has suddenly disappeared. No one, not even members of is maintained. There is a better tone to his family, has any knowledge of his whereabouts. His brother, James Charnley, president of the Garden Wire and Astor place, says he has not seen him Some wholesale merchants at western does not know where he is, and refuses, centers report the largest volume of Au. positively, to discuss the manifest cause gust trade on record. Western tron and for this sudden and mysterious disappear-

> It was something over a month ago that the first knowledge of Charnley's misdeings came to the ears of any of the multitude of people connected directly or

Buffalo Bill's big show will come on Pacific coast wheat exports have been Thursday, Saptember 28.

Retreat and Hold Up Engineer and Fireman.

ROB A GULF PASSENGER TRAIN.

Train Stopped Near Twin Mountain, Colorado, Where Accomplices Appear-Express Safe Blown, and the Bandits Secure \$15,000.

Denver, Col., Sept. 4 .- The Guif pas\_ sepger train was held up last night by masked men and robbed. They got on department will today ask for a continuthe blind baggage at Felsom, N. M., and ance in the case of the application of John when nearing Twin Mountain they injunction against the postmaster general climbed over the tender, covering the engineer and fireman with revolvers and ordered them to stop at Twin Monntain, where two men were stationed with four was advised to be on guard against a pro- horses. As soon as the train stopped they began shooting to intimidate the passengers. Two entered the express car and government are interested, and therefore blew open the safe. It is estimated that wishes to take plenty of time in which to from \$5000 to \$15,000 were secured. A posse is now in pursuit of the robbers.

SENSATIONAL ROBBERY.

Robbers Promised They Would Return the Money in November as They were Business Men Who Needed It Temporarily.

Brainard, Minn., Sept. 4 .- A sensational robbery at St. Mathias, this county, has just been reported. Robert A. Magee, a bachelor farmer residing with his widowed mother, was captured by masked men, blindfolded and guarded by one while the others overpowered Mrs. Magee, the aged lady, bound her and searched the house, scouring nearly \$1500. One of the robbers informed Magee that the money would be returned in November if no effort was made to discover their identity, explaining they were business men and needed that amount to keep them from going into bankruptcy.

STORY OF WARD'S SUICIDE. sequent Developments.

San Francisco, Sept. 4 .- Russell Ward, who committed suicide by throwing himself from the window of the oar in which he was traveling from this city to Chicago | Springfield, fourth. yesterday, first gained notoriety by his young Los Angeles millionaire, John counties: Enoch Knapp, of Pana, won Bradbury, at Santa Monica, a seaside re- in 8:11; James Buell, of Litchfield, secsort some 18 miles from Los Angeles. As ond; Harry Kirkpatrick, of Litchileid, Ward was a married man and the father third. of a family, his flirtation with Mrs. Brad- Fifth Race-One half mile, for boys the latter had even challenged his rival to fight a duct. At the same time, vague stories of a rupture be seen Bradbury and his wife were bruited about, but were strenuously denied by Bradbury.

Matters came to a climax on June 30 last, when Mrs. Bradbury eloped with Ward to this city. Upon their errival they stratled the community by openly admitting their folly and defying public decency by the most shameless conduct. Their career, however, was cut short by their arrest upon the charge of adultery at the instance of the Society for the Prevention of Vice. Mrs. Bradbury was released upon her own recognizance by Police Judge Low, but in default of bail, Ward spend one night in jail.

When the case came up for hearing, that against Mrs. Bradbury was dismissed, and with berimother she at once left for Chicago, where she was met by her husband, who was en route for Europe with his mother. A reconciliation was effected and the couple went to New York whence they departed for Mexico, where they now are.

Ward, meantime, returned to his Santa Monics home, but returned here for trial raised the point that the information to the striking coal miners. against him was insufficient to warrant his brother has left the city, but says he day, August 26, Superior Judge Cox sustained this contention and ordered that Ward be dismissed. As he was financial. ly embarrassed, and, in fact, had been dependent upon the money-raised from such jewelry as Mrs. Bradbury had taken with her at the time of their elopement, his England, sent him the necessary funds called today upon the new United States with which to conduct his defense and defray his expenses to England, in the event of his acquittal.

After leaving the court a free man, and Mrs. Mckiney lett for Cal Ward went to the Grand hotel, where he imorning to remain over Sunday.

remained in seclusion until Monday. He purchased a ticket for Buffalo, N. Y., and left on the evening castlound train, announcing that he was going to England. and did not expect to return to this tend to show he was mentally unsound.

Ward, who was a stalwart Englishman. about 40 years old, located in Santa Monica about six years ago. Boing a crack pole player, and possessed of some means. he at once became very popular among the English set at that place. He soon ingratiated himself into the good graces of the leading families resident at the seaside resort, and among them formed the acquaintance of the Bandinis, one of the oldest Spanish families in Southern Califormia. He wood and won Miss Bardinis and their marriage was duly celebrated with great colat.

Post Office Department's Defense. Washington, Sept. 4.-The postoffice G. Woods, of Louisville, for a permanent and his subordinates to prevent them from removing him from his office as superintendent of the mails at Louisville. The department recognizes that the case is one of considerable importance, from the fact that it will establish a valuable precedent in which all departments of the prepare its answers.

Postmaster General Gary declined while the case is pending to express any opinion on its merits. It was learned, however, that the department will base its defense on the ground that as the office of superintendent of mails is properly under the railway mail service, and as Woods was transferred to a clerkship in this service, there was no removal in any sense of the word, and that instead it was merely a reduction in grade and salary. The department will contended that it is absurd that the executive head of a department cannot make reductions and promotions without giving a trial or preferring

charges. Pana Cycling Races.

Pana, Ill., Sept. 4.—The bioycle races at the fair Friday were witnessed by a large and enthusiastic crowd. Summary: First Racs-Half mile open: Hal Dronberger of Terre Haute, won in 1:23; Earl Peabody, of Chicago, second; H. S. Graham, of Springfied, third.

Second Race-One mile open: Dronberger, of Terre Haute, won in 8:11; S. H. Graham, of Springfield, second; Earl Peabody, of Chicago, third.

Third Race-Two mile open: Earl Peabody, of Chicago, won in 5:89 4 5; Dronberger, of Terro Haute, second; Graham, of Springfield, third; A. J. Mester, of

Fourth Race-One mile, amatours of narked attentions to the wife of the Christian, Montgomery and Sheiby

The Illinois Central Annual Report. Chicago, Sept. 4. -The annual report of the Illinois Central road was issued last evening. For the year ended June 80, 1897, the gross receipts from traffic were \$23,110,987; the expenses of operation and taxes were \$15,785,884, leaving net receipts from traffic of \$6,375,058. The income from all other sources swelled the total net receipts of the road to \$8,589,-240. The total fixed charges and rentals of the road were \$5,760,898. During the year \$2,625,000 was paid out in dividends and \$924,461 has been carried forward and set apart as applicable to future dividends. The not receipts from traffic for the year showed a decrease of \$655,514, and the total net receipts from all sources showed a decrease of \$419,781 from the year ended June 30, 1996.

American Killed in Crete. Canes, Island of Crete, Sept. 4 .- An American named Cyrus Thorpe has been killed by the Turks near Rierapetra.

San Francisco, Sept. 4.—The labor council adopted a resolution recommendlast week. When the matter came up for lng that the affiliated unions instruct the bearing, on August 26, Ward's attorney members to contribute one day's wages

> Weekly Bank Statement. New York, Sept. 4 .- The weekly bank statement shows a surplus and reserve decrease of \$5,400,000. The banks hold \$84,114,000 in excess of legal require-

Duke Teuton Calls on Woodford. Madrid, Sept. 4 .- The Spanish minister of foreign affairs, the Duke of Teuton, minister to Spain, General Woodford.

The President Goes to Canton. Columbus, Ohio, Sept. 4 .- President and Mrs. McKinley left for Canton this

GRAND LODGE MEETINGS.

Sovereign Odd Fellows at Springfieldrand K .P. Lodge at Peorla.

On Tuesday, September 14, Springfield will be the rendezyous of prominent Odd Fellows from all over the country. The annual meeting of the Sogereign Grand Lodge of he order will be in progress during the third week of the month, and the executive committee on entertainment, comprising all the present and past grand state officers, with Grand Master George C Rankin as chairman, is actively engaged in making preparations for the The Leland hotel has been designated as the headquarters of the Sovereign Grand Lodge, while its sessions will be held in representatives' ball of the state capitel The Patriarchs Militant will be located at Staley s hotel. The Sovereign Grand Lodge, which is the legislative body of the order, will be in session throughout the week, while the cantons of the Patriarche Militant will encamp in the state fair grounds, where the prize drills will be given. It is anticipated that the event will bring to the capital from 30,000 to 40,000 members of the order and

Knights of Pythias Peorla Journal By far the most impor tant and largely attended convention of the year in Peoria will be the grand lodge of the Knights of Pythias of Illinas, which will convene in this city on Octo ber 19 and greater preparation is being made for the entertainment of the hundreds of visitors who will be here than for any preceding convention. The Pythians are strong numerically and otherwise in Peoria, and they will see that their brothren from the outside state carry home with them none but the best impressions

of Peoria and her citizens A meeting of the committee of arrangements and the various sub-committees nati and return at \$2 for the round trip, was held on Tuesday evening and the ar and to Indianapolis and return at \$1.50. rangements were fully discussed. The Tickets good only on train leaving Decasub committees reported satisfactory pro- tur 10:45 p. m. Saturday night, Septemgress all along the line and new plans were laid for ruture work The decora-ing Cincinnati at 7:15 p. m. Sunday, tion and illumination fdea will be carried September 12, and Indianapolis at 11:10 out on a grand scale and the city will p, m Sunday, September 12 This gives probably appear more beautiful than ever the entire day at Cincinnata and Indianbefore on a gala occasion. Badges have apolis Tickets, full information, etc. at been ordered and will be mailed to the oity or deput ticket office - 3 dlw representatives from the lodges of the state who will attend.

RECEPTION FOR MR. SHEPPARD Members of the High School Faculty Entertained by Mr Hamsher

Mr. J J Sheppard, who has been the popular and officient principal of the Decatur high school during the past three years, and left for the east today to begin his new work as the director of the de partment of history at the Bcys' High school, New York city, was given a farewell reception last night by Principal Frank Hamsher, of the high school, at the home of his parents, 788 West Wil-Ham street. The guests were members of the board of education and Superintendent Gastman and wife and members of the high school faculty of the past and present year. The hours were from 6 to nate in securing for our patrons material

At 6 30 supper was served. Those present were E. A. Gastman and wife, Mrs V. N. Hostetler, J. F. Roach and wife, F. W. Westhoff, Miss Hull, Miss Ullrich, man, Frank Hamsher, Robert F. er, admittance to which is free, and it is and Jacob H. Coonradt, Will L. Wester-Hoxie, Sherry Ehrman, Mabel C. Gale, a matter of public note that exorbitant Mary W. French, Elizabeth L. Howes, charges in many ways, which have here Grace Freeman, Jessie W Lockett, Ina tofore prevailed, have been abolished. Elder, Lucy Coolidge, Fanny A. Gale, However, no one who simply views the Grace Lockett, Katherine McGorray, Falls sees all of the wonders and beauties Pearl Weiennett, Mary L. Hubbard, Elizabeth Mathews, Edith Ray Crape, Nellie best and most instructive trips, for all of Danely.

Card of Thanks.

Dr. S H. Swain and family desire to express thanks to the many friends for their kindness and sympathy during the sickness and death of wife and mother and especially to the members of Couer de Leon lodge, No. 17, K.of P., Myrtle Temple, No 2, Ladies assembly, No. 1 and District Court No. 27.

The New Firm

Will take charge of this business Sep tember 1, 1897, and from now on till the ing tackle, hunting coats, base ball goods repu at on established by Mr Kipp and sweaters at a reduction of 25 per cent Don't overlook this chance. H. Mueller Gun Co 134 E. Prairie street. - 3 d1mo

Labor Day Next Monday will be Labor Day. As yet no special preparations have been arrunged for the occasion. Usually the labor organizations hold exercises of some kind but this year nothing has been done It is likely that some of the labor organivations will visit some of the other cities

to celebrate the day. . The Gibneys.

The Gibney comedy drama company will legin an engagement at the Grand Monday night, in "Angre, the Country Girl.' One paid 30 cent troket will admit gentlemen and lady Monday night Prices 10 20 and 20 cents.

10 o clock in the morning.

Bucklen's Armica Salve.

The Buffalo Bill show will play another week in Chicago, and then start out on a tour of cities in the Tstate. The show will be here on September 23, coming from Springfield, and going from here to Panville.

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The Best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruses, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblaine, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions and positively curses Flight, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by J. E. King and C. F. Shilling.

Close for Labor Dat.

The Klondike as a Place to Live In Dawson City is nearly ten degrees further to the south than the ancient Norwegian town of Hammerfest, where men make shift to live comfortably the year round. To be sure there is no gulf stream to temper the iron frosts of Klondike, and the average winter cold is 23 degrees below zero; but there are warm winds from the Pacific in the summer that make the climate far from forbidding The average temperature for the summer months is 56 degrees, and the 81 degree mark is by no means unknown to the mercury It is, of course, too far north for wheat, but barley, oats and rye ripen freely, and ordinary vegetables can be cultivated with success. A fair index to the soil and climate is afforded by the timber. The finest white spruce grows abundantly in the Klondike region. The trunks even attain a diameter of two feet where the forest is not crowded is for the danger of starvation, that hould not exist if the miners exercise common prudence The streams swarm with salmon, and a few weeks of fishing in the fall should provision the settle ment securely.—Illustrated American

A New Vocation. Jimmie Farmerboy-Dad, I'm goin nto the city an' git a job.

The Old Man-Waal, what would you Iew in the city?

"Oh, there's lots o' them roof gardens I've heern tell on. Guess I might git sumthin' tew dew weedin' out some o' them "-Detroit Free Press.

Twitting on Facts. Hewett-It's terrible to have people

doubt your word Jewett-Especially when you know ourself that you are lying .- N Y

\$2.00 to Cincinnati and Return; \$1.50 to Indianapolis and Return.

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Grocery Sale.

To whom it may concern: I have this day bought the entire grocery business, stock and fixtures, formerly owned by Fred Kipd 654 East Eldorado street, to gether with the accounts due him. I bave als assumed the payment of all unpaid bills against the said grocery business It shall be my aim to always keep above date we will sell all tennis goods on hand a first class stock of goods in my and bicycle clothing at cost, and all fish line and in every way to maintain the

G W. Hamer In retiring from the above business I wish to thank my former patrons and ask a continuance of their trade for my successor, Mr Hamer, whom I shall assist

for a time.

Fred Kipp. Cigara. Cigara.

Special prices to the trade. For sale L. CHODAT'S NEWS HOSSE. Mr. and Mrs. John G. Piper, of Can-

ton, celebrated the sixtieth anniversary of their marriage. Mr. Piper is SI years of age and his wife is 80. The couple have resided in Canton since 1888.

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Mr Henry N. Frant, of Virden, has The True of the county eleck will be made a assignment to Mr. Daniel B and closed array on account of Labor Day. David C Vaniman for the benefit of cred-The county court, will be in session until it ors. He shows \$1386 53 of property not exempt and \$3087,80 of indebtedness.



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sneaking diseases are more to be dreaded sheaking diseases and those to the strain small-pox or yellow fever. The sneaking disease begins with some slight disorder of the digestion and sluggish action of the bowels. The blood becomes disordered and the body receives insufficient to the strain of the strain strains. cient or improper nutriment. Emacia-tion follows and the sufferer is troubled with nervous prostration, brain fag, and debility, and very likely falls a victim to that dread destroyer, consumption. All this happens before the sufferer fairly realizes that he is in danger.

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These sneaking diseases that undermine a man's constitution, and rob him of his health are conquered by Dr. Piezce's Golden Medical Discovery. It puts strength into every fiber of the body and replaces the lethargy of sickness with the buoyaucy of health. It is the best bloodmaker and flesh-builder known to science.

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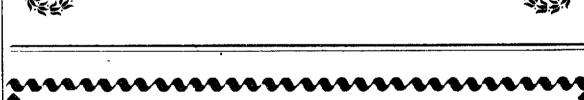
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Homeseekers' excursions to points northwest, west, southwest, south and southeast on the 1st and 3d Tuesday of each month until Oct 19th. One fare plus \$2 for the round trip. Tuckets good 2t days Stopovers allowed on going trip. One way settlers' rates to points south and southeast at very low rates on Aug. 17, Sept. 7 and 21 and Oct. 5 and 19. Columbus, 0, Sept. 17 to 24. Tickets sold Sept 16 and 17. German Catholic Benevolent Society of the United States. One fare round trip.

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Tennessee Centennial and International Exposition, Nashville, Tenn. May 1—Cetober 31, 1897. We learn that our people are offered a very low rate to the Nashville Exposition via the F. D & E Railway. The time via this route is from seven to nine hours quicker than via any other route. With the inducement of the very low rate offered, every one should see the International Exposition, which, it is said, stands second to the Chicago Exposition among the large number of Expositions which have been held in recent years.

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The P. D. & E. Railway offer a low rate of \$8 10 from Decatur with limit of ten days. "lekets of twenty day limit and also with limit Nov. 7th, may be had at a little higher rate. If any circular or information is desired it will be furnished upon inquiry from P. D. & E. Agent, or by writing direct to A. G. Paimer, who is General Passenger Agent at Evansville, Ind. June 5-50 Oct 28

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We have hats to fit any head. New FALL Hats we mean == - this season's styles. Correct shape.

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You haven't thought of Heating Stoves yet, but there is a time for them and it is most here now. We wish to call your attention to our line which includes

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All are so well known that they need no introduction. We are sure we can please you.

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### The Trusts Still Live.

States may try to down the trust-fifty cent legisators still try to make fifty million dollar trusts quit business and divide—men will get up and nowl "down with 'em" (unless we're in it), and the trusts still go on and gobble. There's the sugar, gas, rubber, grocery, lead pipe, paper, sausage, carpet and a whole lot of other trusts, and now they've taken whiskey. Comment on this subject is unnecessary. We don't have into a Fairlawn park. Supper was served ston of the city requires that the city pay anything to do with trusts in any form-don't do a 🚳 trust business. If we did, we couldn't sell pants for struct business. If we did, we couldn't sell pants for sell-business. If we did, we couldn't sell pants for sell-business. If we did, we couldn't sell pants for sell-business. If we did, we couldn't sell pants for sell-business. If we did, we couldn't sell pants for sell-business. If we did, we couldn't sell pants for sell-business. If we did, we couldn't sell pants for sell-business. If we did, we couldn't sell pants for sell-business. If we did, we couldn't sell pants for sell-business. If we did, we couldn't sell pants for sell-business. If we did, we couldn't sell pants for sell-business. If we did, we couldn't sell pants for sell-business. If we did, we couldn't sell pants for sell-business. If we did, we couldn't sell pants for sell-business. If we did, we couldn't sell pants for sell-business. If we did, we couldn't sell-business. It is sell-business. If we did, we couldn't sell-business. If we did, we couldn't sell-business. If we did, we couldn't sell-business. It is sell-business. If we did, we couldn't sell-business BUY 'EM for \$3.50. We are selling fine pants, fine pan cassimere and worsteds. Whaddythinkofthat?



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LOCAL NEWS.

Smoke the famous Leda, a fine 10 centr, made by John Weigand. Mch 25 tf. There are now 41 paupers at the county poor farm, and all are in pretty fair state

y Johnny Weigand are the best in town.

Irwin's Celery Compound is a good pervine and blood purifier.

Mrs. A. B. Alexander will give a farewell recital at her home on Friday even. ing next. The program for the occasion will not fail to please all who attend the

Smoke the Little J 5 cent clgar, guarinteed to contain no artificial flavor.

People wanting grapes for jelly can get farın, P. O. box 342.—tf

Go to Spencer & Lehman's for fine and wagons, and also the old reliable Peter Schuttler and Moline farm wagons .-Always remember that the C. B. Pres-

is the place to get the famous Haines and Reed & Son's pianos, and the latest sheet spacious shelter.

Travelers are frequently troubled with dysentery, diarrhoeus or other bowel complaints brought on by change of water and diet. One dose of Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry Wild

The little son of Charles Castle, of Deeatur, was missing several hours, and the whele neighborhood was on the search. He was found asleep under a bed.

. It seems to be a good joke. The bush ness men of Lincoln are in the threes of an effort to secure the location of a new actory at that town, and still Lincoln papers state that all of the old factories re closed tight, because of the inability to get the miners to lift coal at the Lincoln coal mine. The promoter of the factery ought to come to Decatur if he wants Lincoln has no fuel with which to keep the city electric light plant going.

Arnold's Bromo-Celery cure headches. 10, 25, 50 cts. Bell, the druggist.

The Wabash will sell tickets to St. Lous for \$1.50 for trains leaving Decatur at 6:55 a. m., 4, 4:05 and 7:20 p. m. of Sat urday, September 4, and 4:40 and 6:55 a. m. of Sunday, September 5. Good returning leaving St. Louis as late as 9:05 p. m. of Sunday, September 5.—30-t

The I. C. R. R. will run a cheap excureron to St. Louis Saturday and Sunday, September 4 and 5. Tickets good going said: on Diamond Special, of Saturday morning and Dåylight Special of Saturday and Diamond Special of Sunday. Good returning on Diamond Special leaving St Louis at 9:10 p. m., Sunday. Only \$1.50. R. T. tickets on sale at city office and de-

The!Decatur Guards will come marching home from Camp Lincoln this evening, that is to say they will ride to the city on the steam cars and march to the rmory from the depot. They made a four of the members in turn carrying off came educated to the state institution. very creditable record at the encampment, the honors as being the neatest dressed and, hence, all interest in the county fair men in the regiment, thereby winning appointment as orderly for the colonel. Pekin captured the honor for two successive days. The Springfield company was

Does your head feel as though some ne was hammering it; as though a million sparks were flying out of the eyes? Have you horrible sickness of the stomach? Burdock Blood Bitters will cure you. Sold by Bell, the druggist.

a dollar to \$2 a pair on these same shoes

Misses Freda Race and Jennie Bell entertained the members of their Sunday school class yesterday afternoon, at a picjors Pearl Keas, Nellie Miller and Marie by the city and that the place shall be years.

THERE IS A CLASS OF PEOPLE if the city should violate any of its provis-

there has been pieced in all the grocery stores a new preparation called GRAIN-O, made of pure grains, that takes the place of coffee. The most delicate stomach receives it without districted constructions as new preparation to the control of the most delicate stomach receives it without districted constructions. The control of the co

### NIGHT AT THE PARK.

Thousands of People Visit Fairlawn to Picnic and Enjoy the Band Music.

DEDICATION ADDRESS BY JUDGE YAIL

Park in the Evening and Everybody Had a Lovely Time-Fun for the Children-People's Playground.

It is estimated that 10,000 or more pecple were at Fairlawn park yesterday afterneon and night to take part in the informai dedication of the pretty retreat, as arranged by Commissioners Burrows, Loeb and Miller. The dedication was a proneunced success from start to finish and be pleasantly remembered.

The crowd was large in the afternoon would never quit coming. They came on foot, in backs, in surreys, in buggles, them at G. W. Stoy's Riverside fruit a few in wagons, and the firefly brigade came on bicycles from every direction. Everybody had full liberty of the grounds. medium grade buggies, surreys, road They could drive and walk everywhere with no one to interfere. It was a good thing that full liberty was given, for the people had to go somewhere and every body wanted to get as near the pavilion cott music house on North Water street as they could to hear the music by Good man's band and 'view the beauty of the

> In all parts of the grounds almost could be seen little specks of light marking the pionic space taken by families who had come out early in the evening and preferred to remain in "camp" for a time before getting in the crowd and starting for

Arc lights beamed a welcome at the enrance and at the pavilion, and at the various tents about the grounds where enexprising boys served lemo, popcorn and peanuts, there were bright lights to righten the scene. It seemed like a dream to walk or drive about the grounds to see so many people, to hear the bum of voices and to listen to the entrancing music of the band, which never played better. Down by the springs the young people were promenading and chatting, in the pavilion where about 1500 were sented there was a steady hum of conversation, and outside the people were moving about greeting all and congratulating each other on the free treat and the general attractiveness of the park. It was truly a gala night in Decatur, a sample of the many happy gatherings which we

are to have in the future. Address by Judge Vail.

At 8 o'clock in the afternoon when the pavilion was crowded and there were tion deserved, but nearly all of the regu scores of vehicles gathered about the building Commissioner Burrows called the assembly to order and presented Judge E. P. Vail, who delivered an address. He

"I believe that it is wholly unnecessary

beautiful grounds, as I think you are more interested in its present and future. The property, consisting of 40 acres, was originally the property of the Macon County Fair association. While it was and after a time it became the bome of eyes upon the brilliant jewels. was held as the people after a time bewas lost. By reason of the poor patronage received the fair association became involved deeper and deeper in debt and finally the county took the property off their bands and agreed to assume all the debts against the association. For a number of years the property remained in possession of the county and no care whatever was taken of the place. It was not until Captain Kanan was elected mayor of the city that a plan was evolved by which the city should come in posses Powers's shoe store is a little out of the sion of the property. There has always way, but are these prices: Men's fall been the best of feeling between the peostyle of winter enamel, \$8; men's fall ple of the city and the county, but the style of winter box calf, \$3; French pat- task of securing the use of the grounds ent leathers, \$8; crack proof school shoes, for the city was not an easy one. Finally very fine, A to double E, \$2.50. We miss in 1890, through the efforts of Captain our guess if you don't find an advance of Kanan, who in the meantime had been ejected to the state senate, with the help at other stores. You can see the shoes it of others, the grounds were secured for the use of both the neople of the city and the country, although they were to be in charge of the officials of the city. The contract by which they came into 'posses-Hickisch, Lizzie McKenzie, Pearl Houck, per year for the first 10 years, \$200 for Newton, Alta Barber, Winnie Smalley, until the contract shall expire. The provisions of the lease, however, state that of accepting his resignation. kept under surveillance of the city police.

year were very heavy. After a while PRESBYTERIAN DAY. no pay, but act wholly out of public spirit. But after these men were appointed they were practically helpless, as there was no provision of law by which money could be raised to beautify the grounds. While in the senate Captain Kanan offerand which provided that a tax of three milis could be voted upon by the people for the purpose intended. After the tax was levied on the people of the city we now have the promise of \$8000 or \$4000 with which to continue the work. But Whole Families Took Supper at the the commissioners have done a great deal of work without this money which they should be given oredit for. They have buiit the custodian's house, paid him \$1 per day for his services as a policeman and have given him the rent of the bouse free. The springs have been walled with brick, the driveways graveled and the grounds have been put in the finest of shape. Then this pavilion has been built at a cost of about \$3000. This shows the efficiency of the men who were chosen as

commissioners of the new park.

"I do not need to say anything of the necessity of a park such as this. The was an historical occasion that will long time will come when all people in the United States will live in small villages, I believe. History shows us that the but at night it seemed that the people office of the world that have become famous are the ones where large parks have been provided. It is the intention of the commissioners to still more beautify this park The grounds are for the use of the whole people of Macon county and all are welcome to use it. The bicycle club of which I am an humble, but slow member, want a track built in the park. The farmers want a place partitioned off for the use of teams, but I do not know about these things. The commissioners have an idea of their own. It is to establish rules for the government of the park that will make it safe for our wives and ohilas they wish. It is out of doors that we breathe the air that makes our manhood and our womanhood. All that one has to do to enjoy this park is to come here and behave himself. In conclusion let me say that in Decatur there is a great public spirit. Every foot of ground in the city indicates the public spirit of the citizens. As an example there about 35 members of the Goodman band that have given their services to the people who came out to the dedication of this park to enjoy the afternoon. The park commissioners we are indebted to for a great public spirit. Now, I move you that we extend to the members of the band a vote of hearty

The vote was given with a will and the band acknowledged the compliment by playing another selection, which was followed by others, until the program was

Corringe at the Grand.

The Corinne comic opera company left the city yesterday for Incksonville after playing 🐂 opening engagement of the large an audicuce present as the attraclar play-goers were there, compying their accustomed seats. Some people care very little for comic opers. "An American Beauty" is a very clever combination of right music, jokes and founy situations, while of course Corinne costumed the opfor me to tell you of the history of these era in claborate style. Corinene was as wearing her great wealth of glittering cused on her, and even today the display in the possession of the association many of gents continue to be the talk and envy successful county fairs were held here, of many of the ladies who feasted their

Manager Given has a very fine time of so much of a success after the state fair attractions booked for the Grand this sea son, and he started off with one of the Lost expensive combinations traveling.

He Was Not a Veteran. David-Sturgese, the old man who died of consumption at the Mscon county poor farm, was not an old soldier. He made an effort to become a member of the 115th lilinois regiment when the war broke out, and it is known that he went to Springfield to undergo an examination for admission to the service, but he was rejected on account of the impaired condition of his eyes. He was never mustered into the service. He had relatives in this and Logan counties, but he did not seek assistance. He was at the poor house but a few days when he died. The claim that he was an old soldier caused a lot of trouble for Supervisor May, who had to make many inquiries before the facts were as certained. The body was buried at the farm under the direction of Steward Burley at the expense of the county.

A Mysterious Action Taylorville Breeze: Rev. W. W. Wee don, pastor of the Christian church, has tendered his resignation to the board of trustees of the church, and action will be at 6 o'clock. These present were: Lucy into the county treasury the sum of \$100 taken in regard thereto at a meeting of the board Sprday. There is no doubt Irene Houck, Gracie Erisman, Sadle the next 10, and \$250 per year thereafter but that the board will positively refuse to consider, even for a moment, the idea

Elder Weedon has been pastor of the

Card of Thanks.

It was also included in the contract that We desire to extend our grateful thanks to the kind friends, the Daughters of Reions the lease would be void. The secur- bekah, also the clerks of Line & Scrugge ing of the lease was largely due to the company, who rendered their assistance and sympathy during our sudden and sad "At first the city was unable to put bereavement of our loved one. Respect- gurest and best of all the baking powders any money on the grounds, as the taxes fully, Mr. and Mrs. Mellinger and fam-

Ladies to Take Charge of the Street Cars and Run Them Next Thursday.

IT WILL BE A BIG DAY FOR BUSINESS

All of the Cars to be Decorated and the Young Ladies Will Collect the Fares - Picnics at the Parks.

The Presbyterian ladies have decided

to undertake the task of running all the onrs of the City Electric company next Thursday, September 9. It will be a great novelty and will he certain to bu a crowning success. Sections A, B, C and D of the Presbyterian society will be in full charge from the time the cars start from the barn in the morning until they are turned in for the night at the close of business. All fares will be collected by young lady conductors and they will settle all the bills. The arrangements for this innovation were completed last evening and the members of the different divisions are quite cortain that they will realize a handsome profit. The plan has been tried elsewhere and has worked like charm. In Rockford and other towns in the northern part of the state different oburches and societies have scored a grout success. It will be something entirely new here, however, and for that reason It promises to catch the publicas it should and break the record of street car business for any single day. The plan here will be slightly different from that adopted in other towns. Patron, of the line will pay the regular fare. In other towns the plan has been to keep all the money passed up to the young lady conductors. The rule has been to return no change. Here, bowever, the passenger will get his change back if he wants it. The popular idea is that not many persons will demand change. On this day too, the tickets of the company and passes will be benered providing those who have purchased tickets or hold passes desire it. All the rights of the patrons of the line will be preserved. The regular mutormers of the com-

pany will run the cars and the regular conductors will be on duty to assist the young ladies in case they require any assistance. There will be two young ladies on each car to collect the fares. They will probably be in uniforms and the whole plan will be carried out as it has been in other cities, with the exceptions stated above. The cars will be decorated in handsome style and as an inductment the ladies managing the line for the day will provide special attractions for their patrons. There will be a lawn social at Riverside park, where refreshments will be served and possibly a similar attraction will be provided at Oakland park. The plan is to have the two socials in progress at the same time as an extra inducement for patrops to ride from one place to the other. There will be a still further inducement to the public to ride that day. Coupens tickets will be sold at the rate of five for 25 cents. The solicitors will be ibroad today selling these tickets among the business men. They are hopeful that they will dispuse of a large number prior to the day on which they are to take barge of the line.

Opened Bide.

The members of the building committee of the Cumberland Presbyterlan church held a meeting yesterday afternoon at the office of Dr. Lonergan in the Millikin building. The bids for the erection of the new church were opened. Fourteen bids were received. Soven were for carpenter work, three for brick work, twofor the stone work and two for the slate work. H.S. Baker was awarded the contract for the carpenter work, Moffett and Cope the brick work, John I. Pasold the stone work and Stout and Dewitt the slate roofing. The amounts of the bids have not been made public by the committee but the entire church will cost from \$15,000 to \$18,000.

Elven year old William Betzelberger, of Emden, died Tuesday of diphtheria.

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WEATHER PROBABILITIES.

Chicago, Sept. 4 .- Illinois: Fair, warmer tonight and Sunday; fresh south-

The farmers are too busy to listen to free sliver speeches now. That species of pastime may do for free trade times like these of the past three years, but not un-

The Springfield crusaders when leaving for home said that every Decatur miner was spotted and not one of them could get a job anywhere. This threat is medifield to some extent by the fact that the Decatur miners have a job and the cru saders are not hiring miners.

The question as to whether the tariff is a tax or not a tax does not interest the people of the United States They are through with such illogical tariff laws as the Wilson law and have returned to the system of protection which means prosperity to the country

Mr. Debs twists the constitution with the view of deceiving a lot of blind followers just as he and Bryan perverted the observations on labor by Abraham Liucoln in his message to congress in 1861. Any man guilty of such perversious cannot be trusted even in making his wife a

A large number of miners have resum ed work in the mines of Illinois during the week, having discovered that the Illipois miners have little consideration in the general strike. The charces are that the coming week will mark the en trance of many more to the work they left upon too brief consideration.

From the best information obtainable Smith and Webber did not avail themselves of the last opportunity and leave with the Lincoln crusaders, to exhibit praperly called this year the wheat belttheir sypmathy for the workingmen. They may perhaps hold themselves in readiness for sutlors in the Debs rebel-

The injunction has been used a thou capital to where it has been once used in connection with any scheme touching labor agitation, but it was never regard ed as government by injunction until it defaulting mortgagor in these days of

The McKinley calamity which the silver shrickers and free trade mourners were report of the comptroller of the currency shows the individual deposits in the national banks to be only \$1,770,480,563. But as this is the largest ever known, by several millions the country is anxiously waiting for more of that same brand of

Inside of a year the demand for coal in the United States will have increased 40 will be increased. This is the natural order. Protection has done it before and will do it again. This system beats a strike and it beats Debs and his gun as a

The farmers are now getting just two and a half times as much for wheat as Mr. Bryan and his followers promised them if they adopted free coinage. They promised \$1 per\_bushel for wheat in silver know what the silver coins would be worth. They are now worth 40 cents under free coinage, while the farmers are getting two and a ball times that in good American 100 cent dollars.

Wood, who is superintendent of mails in Louisville, Ky., has secured an injunctino restraining the postmaster general frem removing him from office. And the Democrats and Populists of Iowa have enjoined the secretary of state from placing the middle-of-the-road ticket on the official ballot. This is government by ininnetion we presume. Debs and Ratchford, however, are not kicking about it because it would not serve the purpose they have in view, namely, to incite riot.

The silver statesman who recently hastened to Japan to learn the true cause of \$3.98, at Powers shoe store. Sale begins the adoption of the gold standard there could easily have found that out at home had they consulted the tables of the director of the mint showing the value of fereign coins during the last decade. This shows that the Japanese silver yen, which in 1888 was worth 75.8 cents, was on July 1, 1897, worth 47.8 cents. Meantime, the gold yen had not changed at all in value. This little statement tells the story more [completely than all the misleading statements which these tourists will bring back with table.

From the Indianapolis News: There you are! At first he veils his threats; lints at what he would do, if the laboring men would allow him, and then, encouraged by the obsers and applause of these who listen to him, works bimself up into a fine state of fury, and threatens the world with bloodshed. All this is very ridiculous, but it shows that there was much wisdom in the order of court which ed to identify the rings found in the vat. prohibited. Dobs from talking to the hungry miners of West Virginia. This is a country of free speech-but within cer tain well prescribed limits. This government is the people's government, and to inveigh against it, urging opposition to ts laws, even to the point of bloodshed, is to inveigh against the people. The adrice of Debs, if followed, would mean chaos and anarchy. Debs calls himself Socialist; he has long been known as a itation as an anarchist. The blood be proposes to shed is the blocd of the Ameragainst another. But he must not be aparchist be was a deciagogue; before he find people to appland his flery speeches, who will have faith in him. The workingmen tried him once as a leader; the At the prisoner's request she called on end was disaster. They will not be in a hurry to follow him again.

#### Prosperity's Smile.

A year ago the Popocrats from Bryan down to the eighth corporal were telling the people that nothing but the free coin age of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1 could relieve the country from prostration that that condition was due to 'the crime of '73:" that it was impossible for the man in debt ever to extricate himself, that while prices were going lower and lower he was required to pay his mortgage in money that had doubled in value since the mortgage was contracted. All these people said in that campaign has been shown, since their defeat, to have been the verlest rot, and the farmer to whom the Popocrat addressed his most flery appeals is the first to discover how little the Popocrat knew about it.

Nothing could prove more conclusively the happy condition in which the tarmers of the great middle west now find themselves than the manner in which they are dealing with their piortgage incumbrances. Reports from concerns which control a large amount of this kind of business are unanimous in saying not in many years has there been the activity now existing in these transactions. From all over the so-called corn belt-more comes the same good word. It is a day when men are taking new hold of their means of livelihood, paying up their old obligations clearing off mortgages and the interest accumulations that have been sand thues against the representatives of nagging the life out of them, or buying more land and renewing the mortgage to meet the first payments.

It would be diffinelt, indeed, to find a put a quietus upon Debs' rebellion in good crops and high prices. Some indication of the prevailing hum among farmers may be gathered from instances related by members of prominent loan agencies. One tells of a farmer in Kansas who a year ago voluntarily deeded over his farm to the company, but remained on the farm as a tenant. This year he has sold his crop, paid off all arrears of ernor Tanner was asked today if he had [8] interest and insurance, out down the old debt by a big slice, and with new hope per he said: and greatly reduced indebtedness starts

home. Many farmers came to lean agents a per cent and then the miner who has no year ago and begged to have their propadjoining land.

Under a system of tariff intended to inorease the demand for labor in the United States, instead of Europe, manufactories dollars, and admitted that they didn't other enterprises, and there is a new and freshening demand for labor which has so long been idle. This means better pay cation. and better living for everybody and a return to the times we had in 1892, when and false gods, and got a lot of experience while Europe got the prosperity.

Do You Remember Last spring we sold you French calf, enamel and patent calf, \$5 and \$6 Gentlemen's fine shoes for \$2.98 a pair and fall style box calf, French calf, patent leather French enamels, that are war- loons " ranted, all \$5 grades, choice of the let for Saturday morning, Sept. 4 .- 2 d&w1w



LUETTGERT TRIAL.

The Rings Zurther Ident) fied as Mrs.Luettgert's -- Witness for Prosecution. -- Witness for Defense Becomes

Chicago, Sept. 4.—Hundreds were turned away from the criminal court this norning, who were seeking admission to the Lucttgert trial. When the hearing was resumed additional witnesses appear-After several witnesses identified them positively as Mrs. Luettgert's, something of a sensation was produced by calling Mrs. Christino Feldt as a witness for the state. Mrs. Feldt is a widow who, it was nesses for the defense. She produced a bundle of letters written to her by Luctt gert since he was confined in Jail. The letters are filled with endearing terms. iemagogue; he is about to acquire a rep-lenduring as an innocent man at the hands of the "dogs" of police, but assured her he would outdo them and "be with her ican people; he would array one class again as a free man . Mrs. Feldt told her months ago he cared more for Mary he did for his wife. May 5 she visited where Mrs Luettgert was he told her she but we do not think he will find many had disappeared, as she had done for severals days at a time on former occasions. him in jail, when Luettgert tried to get her to mortgage her home to let him have uoney for his defense. Mrs. Feldt said when she advised Luctt-

gert to apply to other friends for money he exclaimed: "If you go back on me I'll take my life." She then left bim. Witness was not cross examined.

Gattlieb Schrimp, aged 14, testified that about 11 o'clock, the night of May 1, while coming home past Luettgert's saua.ge factory, she saw Luettgert and his wife walk around the corner of the factory into the alley in the rear. This accords with the theory of the presecution as to the way in which they entered the basement on the fatal night. On the cross examination of the girl she become hysterical and had to be removed. On being restored to composure she testified that the police took her away and locked hor up as a witness. Captain Sobuettler, she said, told her she would be naid money if she remained with the police. She then said she knew nothing about the case except what the police told ber. It was her sister, 20 years old, who saw Luettgert and his wife that night. The state put in evidence the written agreement signed by the gril binding herself to remain a servant with Mrs. Korth at \$2 221/2. a week. Adjournment was taken until

Experts for the state examined the pleces of bone found in the vat and it is said will testify that they include a piece of human skull and first joint of the in dex finger of the left hand.

TANNER MAKES TWO DENIALS. ays He Has Not Appointed His Father in

with Arbitration Board. Tanner and his fatherinlaw, Turny English, are both indignant at the repeated publication of the story that the governor has appointed Mr. English custodian of the executive mansion. There is no such position, and Mr English says he would not give up his business for any position | the governor could give him When Govseen the story published in a Chicago pa-

"Yes, I saw it was stated I had an out again, the owner of his own farm and pointed Turney English, my father inmansion grounds at a salary of \$1200 per annum, and that I had appointed Joseph work at all will have found work and the erty taken, so as to relieve them of the C. Holman of Chicago at the head of a miner who is only working ball time will unavailing struggle to save it. This year newspaper clipping bureau at the same be fully employed and the wages of all these same men are coming back with salary. This is the third time that the joyful faces, clearing up the back claims newspaper trust of Chicago has chronicled and paying off the loan either in part or the alleged appointment of my father inwhole. Many are doing what the loon law to this imaginary position. There is agents like much better, and this is to no such position as oustedian of the man have the old loan renewed for the purpose sion grounds, nor is there any other emof making new investments or buying playe connected with the mansion or grounds who receives to exceed \$30 ner month. Mr. English is a well to do bustness man. He never beld an office in his life, and never was a candidate for office. are starting up, and these in turn start There is no place in my administration that he would under any olroumstances accept. The article is a mulicious falsifi-

"As to the second charge, the only semblance of truth to the story is that the the country went off after false prophets state board of arbitration, without any solicitation, appointed Joseph C. Helman as assistant secretary and messenger at a salary of \$75 per month. The story about a news clipping bureau is a pure fabrication, but it is simply in line with the other sensational fabrications of the Chicago newspaper trust. It is said by this some as low as \$1.99. But we have done trust that there are 9000 salcons in Chivery much better having secured through cago, and it is charged, and I believe it the Boston fallure of Parker, Sampson, to be true, that there has been more in-Adams & Co., 700 pairs of gentlemen's temperance on the part of the newspaper trust of Chicago than in all these 9000 sa-

> MASSO PROBABLY ELECTED Wil: Likely Succeed Claneros as Presiden

of the Cuban Republic. Havana, Sept. 4 .- As far as can be asalthough first reports indicate the re- for life for acting as Ferguson's trainer. election of Cisneros. Masso had the support of General Gomez and his friends. who were active in their advocacy of his election.

Maurice Eisner, of Champaign, will

MARKET REPORT.

... m. z., taylor. Chicago, Sept. 4 .- There will be no markets Monday next September 6, Labor Day-an legal holiday. No letter, of ourse; next letter Tuesday, September 7.

Wheat opened ac ent to a cent and thres lighths higher this morning, and polited orund the opening all day long, with comparatively narrow range. The trade was light and of an holiday character, and the market was far from active. There were absolutely no features. The ther bearish nor bullish. London reported wheat cargoes firmer, and Liverpool closed today unchanged from the closing of yesterday for wheat. Lendon reported the world's shipments as indicated at 8,000,-000, and added that a fair increase in the wheat affoat, and a decrease in European stocks were expected. The Argentina shipments were in the same old rut, and were nit. They have been there for so taken too seriously. Before he was an Simmering, his household servant, than long now that it that country would ship a bushel or two of wheat, it might break was a demagogue he was an ass. He may Lucttgert's house. When she asked him the market. The strength and weakness were caused by the same thing—the desire of longs and shorts to be loose over the holiday. With this determination, the shorts were covering and the longs were letting go, and they about evened matters, and made the market dull and narrow. The receipts were 316 cars, of which 29 graded. Minneapolis got 268 cars of wheat today, and Daluth got 213 a total of 480, against 395 (Minneapolis

> than half a year age. Corn opened blaher and was steady all day with narrow range. The trade was fairly good, and the market was not inactive, though there were no features. Liverpool closed %d above yesterday. 1166 cars of corn graded of 1645 received. Oats opened higher and were rather in

342, Deluth 53) a week ago and 1117

(Minneapolis 694, Duluth 423) a year ago,

today being above week ago and less

ctive and parrow, with somewhat small trade and no features. 69 cars graded. Provisions dull-almost dead. Very little doing. Range narrow, price steady

New York, Sept. 4 .- December wheat 97%; corn 37; cats not quoted.

Peoria.

Peoria, Ill., Sept. 4.-Corn quiet, No. 2 29 1/4; oats quiet, steady, No. 3 white

St. Louis, Sept. 4 - Wheat, cash 96, December 90%: corn cash 28½, Decem-

New York, Sept. 4 .- Butter firm, 12 to

18; eggs firm, 16.

Cnicago-Pouttry. Chicago, Sept. 1 .- Live poultry firm,

turkeys 9 to 10, chickens 7}4 springers 9, ducks, 7 to 71/2. Butter steady, oreamer ics 19 to 17, dairies 9 to 15. Eggs firm, 18. CHICAGO, Ill., Sept. 4.

No markets on Monday next, Sept. 6th-Labor Day, and a legal holiday

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Dec wheat: Puts, 91%; Calls, 96 ; Curb,

To-Day's Receipts-Car Lats. Corn-1645; Estimated, 1900; a year ago, 622 Oats-413; Estimated, 420; a year ago, 410. Hogs. Hog receipts, 15,090; estimated 16,000.

Market about steady. Light, \$4 20@\$4.00; Mixed, 43 95@\$4 42, Heavy, \$4.00@\$4.30; Rough, \$3.80@\$8.95. Cattle.

Cattle receipts, 6,000. Market steady. KANSAS CITY ATTRACTION.

Third Annual Borse Show Opened There This Morning with Grand Parade.

driven by the devotees of the animal from 10 different states, or carrying smartly habited riders of both sexes, was the principal attraction at Fairmount park this afternoon when the third annual horse show opened. The parade probably composed the best display of fancy horses and costly turnouts ever witnessed in this part of the country. A detachment of cavalry from Ft. Riley, Kan., gave exhibitions of skill in riding and shooting and atheltic

exercises. The show will last a week. Cyclist Ferguson Suspended. Terre Haute, Ind., Sept. 4.-H. W Foltz, of the national racing board of the L. A. W., has suspended for life Archie Ferguson, a promising young rider of this city, who was prominent in the events of the recent state meet of the L. A.W. He rode a race at Lebanon under the assumed name of Louis Hencke. certained, Bartelonso Masso has been Ed Sanderson, also prominent in local elected president of the Cuhan republic, wheeling circles, likewise was suspended

Spow Storm in Scotland. Edinburg, Sept. 4 .- A snow storm swept over Scotland. The Grapian Hills are completely covered.

The Great Falls, N. B., cotton man start Sunday to resume his musical stud [ufacturers' mills resumed operations on

# Women's Fall Jackets

We have a lot of Fall Weight Jackets on one of the Bargain Counters in the Cloak Room They have been counted and we find that there are just 68 of them. The size line is complete-32 to 44 bust measure -- and every garment in the lot is strictly high grade. Broadcloth, Melton, and Tweed in Black, Blue, and Scotch Mixtures. Every garment in the lot is worth at least \$5, and many of them are easily worth \$7.50. We want to clear them all out in one day. Your choice

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-Miss Mary Clary 16 home by Hiness. -Joseph Rourk, of Casper

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six feet two inches fall. THE PRICE FAN

The members of the Pric a reunion yesterday at Ri tur and the vicinity of Diwi ing and at noon a dinn The party was cented at a the park. After dinner of rendered and a speech was Rev. M. B. Spayd, paster church. The exercises clo ing and prayers

The head of the family

Elizabeth Price, who is n moved from Butler cour Macon county, III , in 1857 miles southwest of Decata eight children living The dren present at the reuni Price, Mrs. Anna Price-No. Price, Mrs. Maggie Price R. Price William H. Price Price Baker, of Lincoln. I Price-Hopkins There have 22 children 45 grat one great grand obild. Th Price, is 74 years old, an Hopkins, the youngest of ents, is 53 years old. The children is 45 and the year was present at the reunion sons, including the ment lly and a few close trierds

M'LEAN COUNTY Judge Tipton Tells of S.

steeting of Old Se At the old settlers ma county this week Judge. Interesting bit of past county. The Judge said

' Urole Billy Orendorli it has nover been question: Mr Jacob Spawr, of Lex to get merried, but it wa trip down to Vandalla to : and besides he didn't have he let the four of five fan tion know his intentions notices upon the trees. J brother tore the nutices do specified time had elapsed

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do instead of a license, and, second, that tearing down the notices did not invalidate their effect, and proceeded to marry Mr. Spawr and his chosen Eliza Ann Trimmer,

"The groom is still living, being Esquire Spawr, of Lexingson, who bimself, maugurated a peculiar legal form in an early day. Not overyone had a looking give the proper sanction of court to the Bloomington and Springfield road he raised one of these little looking glasses in his hand and exercise. glass, but some had band glasses in their in his hand and swore to the description if the bighway as given, and although I have made the strongest efforts in court to react: for adjoining property owners parts of that read, I never scald gen Esquite Spawr - oath and deree set aside."

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-Miss Many Clary is confined to her

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-S. M. Irwin is in St. Louis to day on

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i- the guest of his con, J. R. Bradshaw,

-Attorney W. C. Johns, who has been

trateling in Europe, arrived in New York

Gty yesterday on the Augusta Victoria.

-Miss Abbie Lincoln, who has been in

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Conklin, has returned to her home in

Bloomington, where she has been visiting

—Motorman Douglass of the street car

Sunday with friends. He was accompa-

-Dr James L. Bevans arrived home

this morning from Sprinfigeld, where he

ahs been serving as regimental surgoun

for the 5th regiment at the state encamp

ment. He was taking the place of Major

-Rev. Yeuell, who has been in the city

supplying the pulpit of the Church Street

Christian church during the absence of

Rev. George F Hall, left today for Farmer

City, where he will visit his brother. He

wal leave soon for his bome in Alabana.

Kansus City police force, was in the city

taking on his way to Chicago, where he

will visit his brother. While in the city

he visited with Officer Ed Leach. He is

THE PRICE FAMILY.

They Held a Reunion Yesterday at River-

side Park-Largely Attended.

a reunion yesterday at Riverside park.

tur and the vicinity of Elwin. The meet-

ant occasion for those in attendance

The people met at 40 o'clock in the morn-

ing and at noon a dinner was served.

L Field. Remarks were also made by

Rev. M. B. Spayd, pastor of the U. B.

church. The exercises closed with sing-

The head of the family was Grandma

Elizabeth Price, who is now dead. She

moved from Butler county, Ohio. to

Macon county, Ill., in 1857, locating four

miles southwest of Decatur. She leaves

eight children living. Those of the chil-

dren present at the reunion were Henry

Price, Mrs. Anna Price-Neyhard, Frank

Price-Hopkins. These eight parents

ore great grandichild. The oldest, Henry

Price, is 74 years old, and Mary Price-

Hepkins, the youngest of the eight par-

ints, is 53 years old. The oldest of the

children is 45 and the youngest 14. There

was present at the reunion about 100 per-

sins, including the members of the fam-

M'LEAN COUNTY STORY.

Julge Tipton Tells of a, Mairiage at the

At the old settlers meeting in McLear

county this week Judge Tipton told an

interesting bit of past bistory in that

Urele Billy Orendorff rendered the

first judicial decision in this county, and

It has never been questioned to this day.

Mr Jacob Spawr, of Lexington, wanted

to get married, but it was, a long, hard

trip down to Vandalia to get the license,

at d besides he didn't have the \$1.25. So

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by ther tore the notices down. When the

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county. The Judge said:

Ine members of the Price family hold

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-Patrick O. Connor, a member of the

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He will be in Decatur next Tuesday.

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PERSONAL MENTION.

THE WOMAN'S CLUB.

The First Meeeing of the Season is Held

This Afternoon at the Club Rooms. The Woman's club of Decatur opened the season this afternoon. The first meeting of the members was held at 3 o'clock at the club rooms There was a large attendance. A business meeting was con ducted and was tollowed by a reception. The officers in charge this year are as follows: President, Mrs. V. N. Hostotler; secretary, Mrs McCouncil; treasurer, Miss Sarah A. Murphy. The Shakespeare division reported that the members would continue the study of Shakespeare in chronological order. The Psatemas, the -Mrs Robert Wargahn has gone to art and Literature, the Chatauqua and Battle Creek, Mich., to make a visit of the Night divisions all made reports showseveral weeks for the benefit of her health. ing the plans for the coming season. One new feature this year will be a division, the members of which will take up shild study. The work of the club this year will be carried on more diligently than ever and the season promises to be the most interesting in the history of the organization. The regular business meetings of the clab will be held the fifth of each menth and the different divisions will hold their meetings during the week.

GUARDS ARE HOME.

-Miss Lucy Coolidge, teacher at the They Come Back with Honors-Have New Rides. Caps, and Same New Suits. high school, arrived home yesterday from

The members of Company H, 5th regiment, Ill. N. G., who have been at the state encompment at Springfield during
the past week, arrived home this morning
at 11:20. They had two special coaches
for their own use. The boys came back line went to Litchfield today to spend the past week, arrived home this morning with honors. They made a fine showing. Four of the men, Morgan Howes, George Young, Ed Eckles and George Barney, were appointed orderlies on account of being the neatest appearing men. This was record breaker as nover before have four men been picked from one company.

The company has received new rifles They are the regulation Springfield rifle with nickle plated barrells. They are 50 Divorce Buls Filed with Circuit Clerkbore guns, instead of 45, as formerly used. The men also received new campaign hats and some new caps and a portion of the company have new suits. During the week at the camp the members of the company had a good many visitors and on the whole their visit was a pleasant

INJUNCTION.

All the People in Fulton Enjoined From Interfering with Removal of M. W. O. A. Office.

issud by Judge Gest of Rock Island, eu-The members of the family live in Decajoining all the people of Fulton from in- Georgie Majers. terfering with the removal of the office of ing was largely attended and was a pleas- the Modern Woodmen from Fulton to Rock Island, has just been served.

C. M. Lytle Appainted.

At the meeting of the board of trustees the park. After dinger old songs were of the Odd Fellows home, this afternoon, ndered and a speech was made by Rev. the resignation of Judge Henry Phillips. one of the members, was read Mr. Phillips has been ill and is very feeble and consequently cannot attend to the duties of the position. The board appointed Charles M. Lytle to flit the vacancy made by the resignation.

Attention, Ladies' Aid Society of S. of V. Ladies Aid society of S. of V. You are requested to met at the house of Mrs. Mary I, Hamsher, 1606 East Main street, Saturday evening, September 4 To make arrangements to attend the funeral Price, Mrs. Maggie Price Foster, Jacob of our late brother, John W. Roby. Mrs. R. Price, William H. Price, Mrs. Sarah Anna Wood, Scoretary. Mrs. Mary I. Price Baker, of Lancoln, Ill., Mrs. Mary Hamsher, President.

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School Opening. A. J. Wallace has largest stock of sec ond hand school books in- the city. School books bought and exchanged. tron know his intentions by posting up Como early for first choice. A. J. Wal. lace, 551 North Water stre t -- 20 d2w

Marriage Licenses. George W. Goodwin, Moweaqua. 20. Bessie E. Armstrong, Mowcaqua, 18. SUNDAY SERVICES.

Corner North Water and East North streets Sunday School at 9:30 a. m., J. W. Carter, si-perintendent. Services at 16:45 a. m.; E. A. Gastman will read a sermon. No services in the avenue.

evening.

SERVICES AT EAST PARK CHAPEL.

Sunday school at 2:30 p. m., J. Edward Saxton,
smerintendent.

Those in the vicinity of the Chapel are cordially invited.

mon at 7:45 p. m.

FIRST INGLISH LUTHERAN CHURCH.

Corner of North Main and William streets,
Rev. Frank C. Oberly, pastor. Sunday School at
9:15 a. m., Dr. N. D. Myers, Smpt. Morning
service at 10:30. The congregation will again
take up its evening service, which will open at
7:45. Services in charge of Mr. G. P. Kabele.
A cordial welcome extended to all to worship
with the congregation.

ST. Links's exercise Lacritudes N 193200.

ST. LOKE'S ENGLISH INTHERAN MISSION. Corner Leadand Ave. and N. Charles St. Sunday school at 2:80 p. m.

oay school at 2:30 p. m.

FIRST PRISBYTERIAN CHURCH.
W. H. Penhallegon, D. D., pastor. Sunday
School at 9:30 a. m., A. H. Mills, supt. Morning
service at 10:45. Rev. W. H. Frestley will
preach. Garistian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m.
Straugers and others not worshiping elsewhere are cardially invited.

COLLEGE STREET CHAPEL.
Sunday school at 2:15 p. m., J. K. Love, Supt.
WESTAINSTER CHAPEL.
Corner of Macon street and Hawoth syonue.
Sunday school at 2:15 p. m., F. P. Laughlin,
Supt.

CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST.
LESSON SERMON from the Buble and "Science and Health, with Key to the Scriptures." by the Key, Mary Baker Eddy, at 10:30 n. m. subject: "The Rightbousness of Glying." Friday evening testimonial moeting at 7:45. Review Bubling, second floor from.

Gerner of North Water and Cerro Gordo Steets. J. Bernard, pastor. Freaching at 16:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., by Rev. I. S. Richmond, of Mt. Carroll. III. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m., W. L. Huff, supt. V. P. S. G. E. at 6:35 p. m. The public are cordially insited. The public are cording in sect.

FIRST M. E. CHURCH.

Rev. D. F. Howe pastor. Class meeting ato a.

m. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m., John G. Imbode; Supt. Preaching at 10:15 a. m. Themo,

"Close Up the Ranks," No evening service.

"Close Up the Ranks." No evening service.

Sunday school at 2.36 p. m. Class meeting at 3:30 p. m. Prayer menting Thursday evening.

The Centenary U. B. churel, corner of N. Broadway and Edorado streets, M. B. Spayd, nastor. Sunday school at 10 a. m., T. G. Rathroff, Supt. Quarterly commution service at 11 a. m. and at 7:30 p. m. Sermons by Rev. J. A. F. King. P. Leveleast at 6:30 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E. Monday evening at 7:45.

C. E. Monday evening at 7:45.

CHURCH STRICT CHRISTIAN CHURCH.
Church street, between Eldorado and North.
Rev. Geo. F. Hall, pastor. Prof. M. S. Galvin,
Musical Director. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.;
Earl Merritts, Supt. Communion at 10:45.
Morning sermon; "Surest Way to Christian Enjoymont," Junior-Endeavor at 9. m. At 7:15.
the pastor will give a 15 minute produce on
"Camping in the Meuntains," followed by a
fifteen minute sermon entitled "detting out of
the Old Rats." The cholf of 100 yores will be
present both morning and evening.
Riverside Mission School at 2:30 p. m.
CUMBERLAND PRESENTIRIAN CHURCH.

p. m. No preaching at might.

GOOD WAY MISSION.

Corner Bradford and Water streets. Preaching at 3:15 p. m. All are welcome.

ST. PETRIC'S CHAPEL, A. M. E. OHURCH Prouching at 16:45. Subject, "The Abunce of Divine Goodness." Sunday School at 2:30 p. m., Wm. Price, Supt. Christian Endeavor at 6:45 p. m.: Tople, "Our Gift From God." Preaching at 7:45 Subject, "The Riches of Divine Grace Displayed." P. C. Cooper, passor.

COURT HOUSE NEWS.

Marriage Licenses,

In the office of the circuit clark today through her attorney, W. N. Andrews, Mrs. Emma J. Leake filed a bill for divorce from her husband, J. Frank Leake. She charges the defendant with beating her and threatening her life and also accuses him of 'ndidelity to his marriage vows. The courle were married in 1892 at Lathan; and lived at that place for soma time.

Another bill for divorce was filed in the Fulton, Ill., Sept. 4.—An injunction, chenit clerk's office today. Manroe A. Majors asked for a divorce from his wife,

County (Court. In the county court today a jury declared Eva Vincent, a 14 year old girt, a dependent person and she was committed to the Arna B. Millikin home.

Judge Hammer fined bim \$10 and costs.

Sales of Real Estate. Anna Hamsher to Oscar F. Parker, let 11 in block 14 of H. A. Wood's subdivision of blocks 13, 14 and 15 in Gulick's addition to Decatur; \$710.

Oscar F. Parker to D. J. Bunn and Edwin Park, above described lot; \$710. Elizabeth Pugh to James A. Pugh, the

northwest quarter of the southwest quarter of 31, 16, 1 east: \$1. of D. Bellamy's subdivision in the south-

east quarter of the northeast quarter of 10, 16, 2 east; \$1400. Marshal W. Biankinship and Harvey Bly to Thomas J. Roberts, the undivided

Albert G. Webber to Louisa J. Croper, let 6 of A. G. Webber's addition of out

interest in a tract of six acres of land in

lots to Decotur: \$1650. Benedict Young to Henry Jostes, the

east half of the northwest quarter of 15, 14, 1 east; \$4800.

LEE LEAVES HAVANA.

The Consul General Takes Advantage of a Leave of Alisonce to Visit the States.

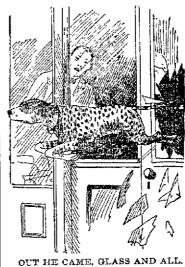
Havana, Sept. 4 .- Geo. Fitzbugh Lee, United States consul general left this of ternoon for New York. His sudden departure las no elguificance. He simply is availing himself of a leave of absence.

President Dolan Cited to Show Cause. Pittsburg, Sept. 4 .- The New York taken up Tuesday.

Broke Through a Baker's Window - Ran After His Engine. St. Nicholas has been publishing a

series of articles about the five department of New York, written by Charles T. Hill, the artist. In a late issue Mr. Hill tells about "Peter Spots-Fireman," a dog that belongs to one of the engine companies. The dog once fell into disgrace by playfully snapping at the heads of the horses when they were running to a fire and causing them to balk. So he was given to a baker who lived far from the engine house. Mr. Hill gives the following account, in the language of one of the firemen, of the manner in which "Peter Spots" came back to the company:
"We had almost forgetten about

Peter, and got used to not having him around, when one day a 'third alarm' came in that took us out; and in getting to the station I had to drive through the street the baker's place was on. I never thought of it myself, but on my word, Peter hadn't forgotten us; and when we made our appear ance he showed up pretty quick. The baker told me all about it afterward, and this was the way it happened: Peter was lying asleep beside the stove in the center of the bake shop, when all of a sudden he pricked up one ear, and then jumped to his feet and gave a bark. The baker was making out some bills behind the counter, and thought nothing of it until the next moment Peter gave a jump, and was in the show window among the pies and cakes and such like. The baker hollered to him to get out; but Peter began to claw at the window and bark and howl. You see he could hear our whistle and hell and had recognized us. Then the baker made up his mind that the dog had gone mad, and got fright ened and got up on a chair, and began to holler himself; and what with the baker and Peter, there was a high old time in that bake shop for awhile



OUT HE CAME, GLASS AND ALL.

Every time Peter gave a kick he knocked a pie or a plate full of cakes out of the window until he had it clear of everything, Then we have in sight; and through the side of the showwindow he saw us and recognized me in the seat, and that settled it-ro bake shop would hold him then. He jumped Lack in the store, braced himself placep in front of the pane of glass in the door, and when we were just about opposite he gave one last howl, and crash! out he came through glass aud all.

"I heard the racket, and turned my head just in time to see him come flying, out. I orderstood it all in a moment, and expected to see him roll over dead in the gutter; but not much! He came through so quick he scarcely got a scratch; and away he were, down the street ahead of us, barking at every one, and clearing the way just as I a used to, and rurning around in a circle and jemping high in the air and cutting up grains-This morning in the county court ties-and happy?-well, I just guess Charles Dressen pleaded guilty to an old he was happy! Ever the county have described the county for the county of the county for the charge of keeping an open tippling house. bim in all the rock the bind the engine and let up on the wh to holler ahead to a e to look out and not run over him; but there was (mall fear of that, for he best us by half a block ell the way to the fire.

"When we got there we 'stretched in and stood fact,' as we call it, which means we stretched in the hose, and got ready to go to work when so or-dered; but they didn't need us, for the fire was pretty well out then, and the third alarm had only been sent out as a David Beliamy to Nettle C. Wells, lot 9 sort of preguition; so in a few moments the chief ordered as back to

quarters. "When we were 'picking up,' or putting the Fose back in the wagen, Peter was around emorg us like old times, and every one of the 'gang' had a kind word for him. He was cut a hit about the southeast quarter of 25, 16, 1 east; the back with glass, so the captain enys: 'Throw him in the wagon, boys, and we'll take him back to the house and well take him and the desired and mend him up. I'll put him on probation; and if he acts right he can siny with us as long as he wants.' And then he adds; 'Bet you fellows will have to chip in and pay for that pane of glass.' And we all laughed; for we were willing to pay for a whole show window to get Peter back again."

> Instinct of a Blind Pig. Pennsylvania boasts of a wonderful

blind pig. It was born blind, and at the tender age of three months was sold to a neighboring farmer, who took it home in his wagon. The road was not only erooked, but was cut by several cross-roads, and it passed through a village with a dozen cross-streets, the entire distance being two miles beyond and Cleveland Gas and Coal Company the village. The pig was turned into a asked Judge Collier this afternoon for a small lot, and the third day afterward citation against District President Dolan the little blind fellow was back with his and other strike leaders, to show cause former owner. There was no other way why they should not be punished for con- for the pig to return home than by why they should not be puntshed for contempt for disobeying the injunction for
bidding them to march in the vicinity of
the plaintiff's mines. The matter will be
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### A YOUNG LIFE SAVED IN A REMARKABLE MANNER a carpenter at a small cost.

Florence Sturdivant, of Grindstone Island, Saved sight of an inches wide, and sevenfrom an Untimely Death—Her Parents saw Her Dangerous Predicament but were Helpless to Aid Her-How She was Rescued.

From " On The St. Lawrence," Clayton, N. Y.

Among the Thousand Islands is one called Grindstone. It is seven miles long and three wide. The inhabitants of this island are a rugged, honest, well-informed class of people who devote their energies to farming and quarrying for a livelihood. In the home of one of these islanders resides Florence J. Sturdivant, the four-year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Sturdivant. In February, 1896, she was taken sick with scarlet fever, and after the usual run of the fever she was left with a weak back and tradually began to lose strength, until finally despite the best efforts of physicians her life hung in the balance. It was at this crisis, when all seemed darkest, that an angel of health appeared on the scene and relreased little Florence from pain and suffering and restored her to her parents in the ful strength and health of happy childhood. The story of this remarkable occurrence is best told in the words of the father, with whom our reporter held the interview.

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Mr. Sturdivant said: "Florence was taken sick with scarlet fever and we immediately called a physician. He prescribed for her and we followed his directions closely, giving our little patient the best of care. After two weeks the fever subsided but Florence was left with a very weak back. The physician said that it was the result of the scarlet fever, but would soon puss away. We continued treatment hoping that an improvement would soon result. The little gan to ebb slowly away. Severe pains were constantly in the back and stomach. We did all that possibly could be done to relieve our little safferer, but to no avail. The difficulty seemed to baffle the efforts of the physician and although he worked faithfully and persistently no headway was made.

"Finally at the end of four months of treatment, we found our patient completely prostrated. She was very nervous and could not rest in one position long at a time. We would take her out of bed and hold her in our arms. She could not stand straight so intense was the pain. At this time we called an eminent physician, who agreed with the diagnosis of our physician and said that the trouble resulted from the scarlet fever. He prescribed a course of treatment and we followed it faithfully for three months. It did not have the desired effect and instead of improving, Florence gradually failed in strength. She remained in a sort of a stupor, suffering intensely from pains in the back and straight, She remained in a sort of a stupor, suffering intensely from pains in the back and she with a without their use on child would have the desired effect and instead of many to the provision of the rearly sickness—a confirmed invalid—if indeed she had lead the at the strength it withing the strength in the same and invalid—if indeed she had lead the the strength in the same state in the same and invalid—if indeed s

continued. She gained in near and strength rapidly and the pains gradually left her. By the time she had used three boxes of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills she was evidently as well as ever. We continued the treatment using another lox, the fourth, to prevent the possibility of a recurrence of the difficulty.

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"We are a happy family now with our little Florence completely restored to health, and I feel that we cannot praise too highly the value of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I am positive that without their use our child would have been to-day in the same sad condition of her early sickness—a confirmed invalid—if indeed she had had the strength to withstand so long the ills of her afflic-tion."

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#### Dissolved Partnership.

The partnership heretofore existing under the firm name of Weckenman & Knapp, grocers, 1301 North Calhoun street, was discoved august 21 1897 by mutual consent J. H. Knapp will collect all cutstanding accounts and pay all bills The business will be continued by J. H. Knapp E. C. WECKENMAN.

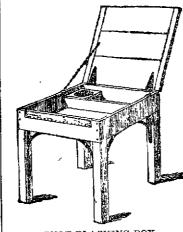
Aug. 26 d6 J. H. KNAPP. a granary of cats.

SHOE-BLACKING BOX.

One That Any Boy of Ordinary Intelligence Can Make. How many boys are there who have

shoe blacking boxes of their own in which to keep brushes and blacking?
Perhaps there are not many who have, but here is a box that every boy can own, because he can make it him-self with hammer, saw and plane, and some wood that can be purchased from

Obtain four pieces of pine, two inches square and fifteen inches long, for the legs; and four pieces, each sixteen eighths of an inch thick, to form the



SHOE-BLACKING BOX.

sides of the box. Screw these flat pieces together firmly to form a square, and then screw on the bottom pieces of

tongued and grooved boards.

When this is done, faster the legs in position with long, stout screws driven down through the bottom of the box and into the tops of them, and brace them with eight iron shelf brackets screwed firmly, as shown in the drawing, with one side against the legs and the other against the bottom of the

These will strengthen the legs and prevent the box from rocking, and as they are of the ordinary cast iron style they can be purchased at a hardware store for a few cents each.

With a thin piece of board, make a partition inside the box to hold the brushes, and on top of it at one side fasten a square piece of board on which a box of blacking can rest.

It is sometimes a good plan to attach the blacking box to the wood with a screw passed down through the middle of the box; but if a standard size of blacking box is always used, it would be well to cut a hole in the wood with a compass saw so the box will fit in it. and another thin hourd or a piece of tin may be tacked to the under side to prevent the box from dropping through.

Next a cover is to be made of tongued

and grooved boards to fit the box, and at the outer edges a strip of wood, called hatten, can be serewed fast to the ends of the boards to keep them to-gether. Strap hinges and a strp chain will hold the cover in place. When arranging the chain do not allow the cover to go backward too far, but only enough to prevent its falling forward when the box is in use. Make all the joints nicely and putty up the crucks. then give the entire box, inside and out. we coats of some dark colored paint

When the paint is dry, the front top edge of the box can be bound with a strip of sheet brass or iron on which to put the feet when blacking shees. This metal strip will prevent the wood from wearing away, and the painted front from becoming shabby.

In this Lox the shoe polishing equipment can always be kept, and every-boy that makes one should take pleas are in keeping it tidy and in good or-

It Hits the Spot.

When suffering from a severe cold and your throat and lungs feel sore, take a dose of Foley's Honey and Tar, dose of Foley's when the sore-once relieved, a and parts affected will be experienced and you will say: "It feels so good. IT a large smoked pearl button. Skirts of gray or white wool, espe-

H. W. Bell, N. L. Krone.

Emden News: F. S. Applegate sold his hoge to Atlanta buyers Monday at \$3.75 per hundred. A. H. Gordon recently sold a two year old horse for \$80 and a three year old for \$95. These sound like old time prices.

Do Not be Imposed On.

Always insist on getting Foley's Honey and Tar, as it is positively, absolutely and unqualifiedly the best cough medicine. Accept no substitute. H. W Bell, N. L. Krone.

Champaign business houses are nov keeping open after 6 o'clock and may do so until Christmas.

Coming Down Hill,

People suffering from Kidney Diseases feel a gradual but steady loss of strength and vitality. They should lose no time in trying Foley's Kidney Cure, a guaranteed preparation. H. W. Bell,

The Wenona zino spelter plant will resame work this week, pelicying the coal strike is near an end.

Found.

At Bell's or Krone's drug store, a marvelous cure for all kidney complaints, nervous exhaustion and female weak-ness. It is Foley's Kidney Cure. H. W.

Mr. B. A. Rosebrough is building a two story frame business house, 3£x60 feet, with asbestes roof, at New Holland.

Bongeld, Ill., Aug. 14, 1895.
"I am subject to cramps and colic, and have used many romedies, but find Foley's Colic Cure beats them all."—W. L. Yeats. W. Bell, N. L. Krone. In burning out a nest of bumblebees near Broadwell, some young men burned

Jackets Will Be Longer and Skirts taffets. Much Trimmed.

Princesse Here Once More-Autumn Headgear Shows Striking Color Effects-Yellow and Gray Combinations-Some New Bodiecs.

September brings a welcome relie from the thin gowns which were so at tractive all summer, yet have become so cheap and slimsy-looking now. Even for the warmer days, thin wool gowns are not out of place, and they have a trim look that is very pleasing after the loosely-fitting gowns of summer.

Present indications point to the overtrimming of gowns this fall. Nearly



all skirts will be trimmed with braid, and later in the season overskirts will probably be worn. The loose Russian

THE LATEST FASHIONS. lar of toffeta, lace frills falling over the top. The usual collar, however, will have no frills, but will be laid plainly of

Belts will be of velvet, ribbon, metal and leather. The prettiest are of ribbon, put twice around the waist and tied in a long bow at the side.

New waists for house and promenade no longer fasten on the side. The true surplice effect is carried out on some, but the great idea of the season is the Russian blouse. This blouse has much braiding and other trimming. Well it is for women that prosperity is in sight, for much money will be needed for the trimming of the gown of the coming senson.

A radical change will take place on onter jackets this fall. They will be much longer; in fact, fully 27 inches long. Some will have a circular piece inserted over the hip, such as was worn three winters ago. Even when the hip piece is not inserted the coat will be braided to produce that effect. Coats in Russian blouse shape will be worn, with tiny jackets of velvet, or square yokes of clath entirely covered with heavy braiding. Tight-fitting Etons, with cape sierves, will also form a part of this season's modes. These jackets will, like every other garment, be plentifully braided and trimmed.

Smooth-faced cloths, in cardinal principally, will be the prettiest cout ma-

Russian blouses and single-breasted box coats will be worn with jacket and skirt costumes. These jackets are trimmed in front with graduated frogs of black soutache braid. Heavy, straight frogs should be selected, rather than those which hang in loops.

Headgear has lost its summer dress and put on the richer coloring of autumn. For when the leaves lose the fresh green of early summer and the blouse will be greatly in favor, worn later fruits begin to ripen my lady's with skirts that are tight-fitting over hat looks pale and languid if deep reds



the hip. These skirts naturally drift to | and rich purples and golden yellows are princesse gowns, and they will be a not introduced. great feature of the season.

fitting sleeves and loose folds over the shoulders. Beneath the folds and overhanging the tight sleeves are two rows of finely-plaited mousseline. They alone relieve the severity of the upper arm, and are more than likely to come off later on in the season, if present indientions count for anything.

The princesse is plain and severesave for a simulated opening on the left side of the front, which extends ness will be at warm, grateful healing of the healing of the and edged with a row of fancy braid,

cially those of white wool, will be pop-ular during the season. They will be wern with taileta waists, made up with out any trimming, save tucked yokes and lower sleeves. Bright colors will be worn-red, blue and all the various shades of pink.

A novel bodice to be worn with a white wool skirt is of China blue taffeta. The entire body of the garment is



shade of blue in velvet.

shirred at one-inch intervals, and the sleeve, with the exception of the upper portion, is similarly made. Short basque skirts fall below the belt, which is very broad and fitted of a deeper

Yellow, black and white is the pret

One of the gowns combines the most tiest combination in the autumn hats. popular colors, blue and gray. The Many of the bats are large and trimmed materials used are gray smooth cloth, with plumes. Yet these picture hats Blue velvet is used to form yoke, tight-cun afford but one bonnet for a season



and a smaller hat with less striking trimmings is a wiser selection.

Hats are trimmed alike on both side and are turned up at the back. A strik ing example is of black satin straw, with upturned brim at the sides and hack. A band of white satin, jetted crosses the front, each end filled with white lace. Behind the frills are stiff black wings, standing up at each side The cache peigne at the back is of black eyed yellow daisies. Another hat, worn with a gray gown

is made in softer colorings. The had is in gray, similar in shape to that do scribed above. Gray wings, starting beneath a large, brilliant buckle, spread each side of the front. In the back are yellow narcissus, plenty of them, ar ranged in a golden mass above the coal black hair of the little lady who secure the hat as part of her bridal trousscar THE LATEST.

How Heat Affects Bridges.

The three arches of the Eads bridge weigh 13,135,500 pounds. The ends are fixed and expansion is shown in the steel tubs, which, placed laterally, con stitute the arch. The maximum lift i eight inches. During the last excessive ly hot days the structure was raised lour inches by the expansive power o

heat. Mr. Roebling eavs that the ris and fall of the readways of the Niagara FOR bridge is one and a quarter feet at the THE center of the span under a change o 100 degrees of temperature. No incom renience has been found to arise from With this bedice is worn a stock col- this change of form in the bridge.

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What Mrs. I. E. Bressle Says to American Women.

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BIE, Herculaneum. Jefferson Co., Mo."

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Attorney General Akin i a decision of great importa torested in the state game is brought up by parties in the contention being acc Bulletin, the exact date census to be operative of claimed by sportsman all that the game law expire and that the bill passed ture in 1650 and signed i so reads. By some means ably through an error by clerk, the bill was entered ute books as reading Se the expiration of the law. is further made that wh up for passage, the grang sisted that it read Sept the sportsmen wanted it 15 A compraintse was fi on and as it passed the he the bill read September 1. fer, who signed the bill, he did not read the meas be was under the impressi passed the assembly the de

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Attorney General Akin is at work upon a decision of great importance to those interested in the state game law. The point is brought up by parties in Bloomington, the contention being, according to the Bulletin, the exact date when the law ceases to be operative each year. It is claimed by sportsmen all over the state that the game law expires September 1 and that the bill passed by the logislature in 1889 and signed by the governor so reads. By some means they say, probably through an error by an engrossing clerk, the bill was entered upon the statute books as reading September 15 for the expiration of the law. The argument is further made that when the bill was up for passage, the granger element insisted that it read September 15, while the sportsmen wanted it to read August 15 A compromise was finally agreed up. on and as it passed the house and senate the bill read September 1. Governor Fifer, who signed the bill, says that while he did not read the measure closely, yet he was under the impression that when it passed the assembly the date was the 1st. The opinion is general among members of the legislature at that time that the date was September 1.

In response to a request for a decision, the attorney general promised to at once the attorney general promised to at once look up the records. The matter has been the subject of much controversy for years, and all interested will welcome a final lineary Block, 120 East William street.—23det disposition.

Niagara Falls.

There is absolutely but one way to appreciate the sublimity and power, the wonders and the beauties of these waters, that go "tumbling in one grand plunge over a precipice 164 feet high in making their way from Lake Erie to Lake Ontario-the water of Niagara Fails. That way is to see them. The conditions for sightseeing at the Falls are nowadays favorable in every respect for the full gratification of one's desire in the matter. The government of the state of New York and of Canada have created free public parks on their respective sides of the river, thus making available the most enchanting views with out the former undesirable accompanying features of fees and tolls. On the American side the very gateway of Prospect Park is reached from Suspension bridge by an electric street railway. On the Canadian side the most complete view of the falls and the river can be had from the new electric line that extends for 12 miles along the river bank. It passes in full view of the Horseshoe and the American Falls, through Victoria park, along the margin of the river, past the rapids, and spans the garge near the whirlpool on a viaduet 500 feet long and 135 feet high. The Falls, the garge, the rapids and the whiri pool is in many cases from a more disirable point of observation than could be obtained by the old expensive method of carriage hire. The Wabash special train for the Falls and the whiri pool is in many cases from a more disirable point of observation than could be obtained by the old expensive method of carriage hire. The Wabash special train for the Falls and the whiri pool is in many cases from a more disirable point of observation than could be obtained by the old expensive method of carriage hire. The Wabash special train for the Falls and the whiri pool is in many cases from a more disirable point of observation than could be obtained by the old expensive method of carriage hire. The Wabash special train for the Falls and the whiri pool is in many cases from a more disirable point of observation than could be obtained by the old expensive method of carriage hire. The Wabash special train for the Falls and the whiri pool is in many cases from a more disirable point of observation than could be obtained by the old expensive method of carriage hire. The Wabash special train for the Falls and the whiri pool is in many cases from a more disirable point of observation than could be obtained by the old expensive method of carriage hire. The Wabash special train point of observation than could be obtained by the old expensive method of carriage hire. The Wabash special train point of the point of observation than could be obtained by the old expensive method of carriage hire. The Wabash special train point of the point of observation than could be obtained by the old expensive method of carriage hire. The Wabash special train point of the point of the point of observation than could be obtained by the old expensive method of carriage hire. The wabash special train point of the po view that can thus be obtained of the for the Falls will leave Decatur at 11:30 a. m. of September 10.-1 d10t

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STATE OF ILLINOIS 188 In the
MACON COUNTY SECURITY STREET COURT.
Henry Gemmer, complainant, vs. Fred Bitter,
Atefendant—In Chancery, No. 16,177.
Public notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a decree of the circuit court of Macon
county, in the State of Illinois, entered in the
above entitled cause, at the June term of
said court, A. D. 1897, I., James J. Finn, master
in chancery of said court, will on

Monday, September 6, A. D., 1897,

Monday, Septsmber G, A. D., 1897.

at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m. at the north door of the court house on East Wood street, in the city of Decatur in said county, offer for sale at public vendue to the highest and best bidder for cash in hand, subject to redemption according to law, the real estate in said decree ordered to be soid, being deserbed as follows, to-wit: Part of southwest quarter of section 31, township 18 north, range 1 east of 3d principal meridian, commencing 27 chains 76 links west of the southeast corner of the northwest quarter of said section 31, thence north 36 chains 58 links, thence west one chain and 36 links, thence south 36 chains 50 links, thence east to place of beginning, containing 4.93 acres; aiso, 14.85 acres, commencing 23 chains 73 links west of the southeast corner of the northwest quarter section 31, township 16 north, range one east of 3d principal meridian, thence north 36 chains 56 links, thence west 4 chains 9 links, thence south 36 chains 56 links, thence west 4 chains 19 links, thence south 36 chains 56 links, thence west 4 chains 19 links, thence south 36 chains 56 links, thence west 4 chains 19 links, thence south 36 chains 56 links, thence west 4 chains 50 links, thence west 4 links, thence links, thence links, thence links, thence west 4 links, thence links, thence links, thence links, th

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STATE OF ILLINOIS, and in the Circuit Macon County. In the Circuit Court.

Harriet Howell et al., Complainants, vs. Albert T. Summers et al., Defendants—In Chancery, No. 18,291.

Public notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a decree of the circuit court of Macon county, State of Illinois, entered in the above entitled cause at the June Term of said court. A. D. 1897, I. James J. Finn, Master in Chancery of said court, will on Monday, September 20th, A. D. 1897, at 20 clock p. m. of said day, at the north door of the court house on East Weed street, in the City of Decatur, in said county, offer for sale at public yendue to the highest and best bidder for cash in hand, subject to redsmiption according to law, the real estate in said decree ordered to be sold, being described as follows, to-withing of the west half of the southwest quarter of section 14, township 16 north, range 2 cust of the 3d P. M. with the Illinois Contral Railroad right of way, thence west 7.5, chains, thence south 13.70 chains, to the Illinois Contral Railroad right of way, thence northeasterly slong said right of way to the place of beginning, excepting public highways, said premises below known as lots in west half of southwest quarter or less, excepting that portion of said tract described as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of the west line of said tract with the south line of Wood street, thence sast 200 feet, thence south 120 feet, thence west 200 feet, thence of the place of beginning.

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Dated at Decatur, Illinois, this 28th day of Dated at Decatur, Illinois, this 28th day of August, A. D. 1897.
JAMES J. FINN. Master in Chancery.
Outten & Roby, Complainant's Solicitors.

Master in Chancery's Sale.

MASICY III CHARACTY'S SALE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, SS In the
Macon County.

Murillo Glasgow, Complainant, vs. Martha J.
Mathews et. al., Defendants.—In Chancery,
No. 16,229.

Public notice is hereby given, that in pursuance of a decree of the circuit court of Macon
county, in the State of Illinois, entered in the
above entitled cause at the June term of said
court, A. D. 1897, 1, James J. Pinn, master in
chancery of said court, will on
Thurbdoy tha 16th day of Sentember, Thursday, the 16th day of September, A. D. 1897,

A. D. 1897,
at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m., at the north door
of the court house on East Wood street, in the
city of Decatur, in said county, offer for sale at
public vendue to the highest and best bidder for
cash in hand, subject to redemption, according
to law, the real estate in said decree ordered to
be sold; being described as follows, towit: Lot
five (5) in block six (6) in M. Johnson's subdivision of Lots six (6) and seven (7) in the northcast cuarter of the northeast quarter of section
ten (10) in township sixteen (13) north, range
two (2) east of the 3d principal meridan.
Dated at Decatur, Ininois, this toth day of
August A. D. 1897.
Leforgee & Lee, Complainant's Solicitors.

Master in Chancery's Sale...

STATE OF ILLINOIS, | 88 In the Circuit MAGON COUNTY | Court.
Charles J. Freeman, Complainant, vs. Adam Bantner et. al., Defendants,—In Chancery, No.

16,237.

Public notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a decree of the circuit court of Macon County, in the State of Illinois, entered in the above estitled cause at the June term of said court, A. D. 1897, I. James J. Pinn, master in chancery of said court, will, on Wednesday, the 8th day of September, A. D. 1897,

A. D. 1894,
at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m., at the nerth door of the court house on East Wood street, in the city of Decatur in said county, offer for sale at public vendue to the highest and best bidder for each in hand, subject to redemption according to law, the real estate in said decree ordered to be sold, being described as follows, lo-wit: The south half (%) of the north-west quarter (%) of section seventeen (77), township four seen (14) north, range two (2) east of the 3d principal meridian, situated in Macon county, lillnois.

Dated at Decatur, Ill., this 16th day of Aug-

STATE OF H.LINOIS, (ss MACON GOUNTY, ss In the Circuit Court, to the October Term, A. D. 1897.

In the Circuit Court, to the October Term,
A. D. 1897.

W. B. Tyler vs. Samuel W. Stookey, Ida M. Stookey, James M. Stookey, A. T. Risley, J. W. Brawn, Robert Elliott, Carry Elliott, Maude Ortego, Charles Ortego, Virginia Mitchell, John Mitchell, George A. Melhorn and Hattle A. Melhorn—Foreolosure; No. 16228.

Antidavit that Samuel W. Stookey, Ida M. Stookey, James M. Stookey, Maude Ortego, Charles Ortego, Virginia Mitchell and John Mitchell, part of the defendants in the above entitled cause, are nonresidents of this state, and that the place of residence of J. W. Brawn, one of the defendants in the above entitled cause, bunknown, having been filled in the office of the clerk of the circuit court of said Macon county, notice is bretby given the said Samuel W. Stookey, Ida M. Stookey, James M. Stookey, Maule Ortego, Charles Ortego, Virginia Mitchell and J. W. Brawn, that the above named complainant filed his biil of complaint in said court on the chancery side thereof, which suit is still pending, and that summons the reupon issued out of the said court against the said Samuel W. Stookey, Ida M. Stookey, James M. Stookey, Maude Ortego, Charles Ortego, Virginia Mitchell, John Mitchell and J. W. Brawn, impleaded with other defendants, returnable on the first day of the next October term of said court, to be held at the court house in the City of Decatur in said Macon counity, on Uniess you, the said Samuel W. Stookey, An Uniess you, the said Samuel W. Stookey, Ida M. Stookey, Uniess you, the said Samuel W. Stookey, Ida M. Stookey,

1897.
Unless you, the said Samuel W. Stookey, Ida M. Stookey, James M. Stookey, Maude Oftogo, Charles Ortogo, Virginia Mitchiell, John Mitchiell and J. W. Brawn, shall be and appear on the first day of said term of said court, and plead, answer or demur to the said bill of complaint, the same will be taken as confessed and a decree rendered according to the prayer thereof.

August 23, 1897 34w D. L. FOSTER, Clerk of said Court.

#### · CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, as MACON COUNTY, as In the Circuit Court of the October Term, A. D.

Sylvia M. Fulk vs. James A. Fulk, Divorce.
Affidavit of the non-residence of the defendant in said cause having been filed in the office of the cierk of said court, notice is hereby given to you that unless you, the said James A. Fulk, shall be and appear at the next term of said court on the first day thereof, to be held at the court house in Decatur, in said county on the first Monday of October, A. D. 1877, and plead, answer or demur to the bill of complaint now on file in said cause, said bill and the matters therein alleged will be held confessed as true and a decree rendered accordingly.

W. H. Black, Solicitor for Complainant.
bug 25-diw 1897. Sylvia M. Fulk vs. James A. Fulk, Divorce.

#### CHANCERY NOTICE.

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, MAGON COUNTY, In the Circuit Court, to the October Term, Peter John Masharg vs. Mary Jane Masbarg—Bill for Divorce
Allidaylt of the non residence of Mary Jane Masbarg, the above named defendant, having been filed in the office of the clerk of said circuit court of Macon county, notice is hereby given to the said Mary Jane Masbarg that the above named complainant filed his bild of complaint in said court, on the chancery side thereof, on the 3d day of September, A. D. 1837, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said courtagariants said defendant returnable on the 1st Monday of October, A. D. 1837, as is by law required,

Now unless you the said Mary Jane Masbarg shall personally be as d appear before said circuit court of Macon county on the first day of the next term thereof, to be held in Decatur in said county on the ist Monday of October, A. D. 1897, and plead, answer or semur to the said complainant's bill of complaint the same and the matters and things therein charged and stated will be taben as confessed and a decree entered against you necording to the prayer of said bill.

Outen & Roby, Complainant's Solicitors.

Sopt. 3 day

CHANCERY NOTICE.

#### CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS | In the Circuit Court MACON COUNTY, | 58 of said county. To the October Term, A. D. 1897.

MACON COUNTY, You assail county.

To the October Term, A. D. 1897.

B. M. Parcell vs. Mary E. Parcell—No. 10411.

Public notice is hereby given that the complainant in the above entitled cause has herebore commenced his suit in channery against the above named defendant, and that summons has been issued to the sheriff of Macon county, Illinois, and returned "not found" as to the said Mary E. Parcell, and affidavit having been illed that the said Mary E. Parcell is a non-resident of the state of Illinois, and that the said cause is now pending and undetermined in the circuit court of Macon county, Illinois.

Now, unless you, the said Mary E. Parcell, shall personally be and appear before the circuit court of Macon county, State of Illinois, on the first day of the next October term, to be held at the court house in the City of Decatur, Slate of Illinois, cut he lirst Monday of October, A. D. 1897, to plead, answer or demur to said bill of complaint, the same and the matters and things therein contained will be taken as confessed and a decree rendered against you in accordance with the prayer of said bill of complaint. Dated this 3d day of September, A. D. 1897.

Sopt3-daw D. L. FOSTER, Clerk,

#### CHANCERY NOTICE.

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STATE OF ILLINOIS, | 88

MAGON COUNTY, | 88

In the Circuit Court to the October Term, A. D. 1897.

Elizabeth Gelger vs. William J. Gelger.

Affidavit of the non-residence of the defendant in said cause having been filed in the office of the circ of said court, notice is hereby given to you that unless you, the said William J. Gelger shall be and appear at the next form of said court on the first day thereof, to be held at the court house in Decatur, in said county, on the first Monday of October, A. D. 1897, and plead, answer or demur to the bill of complaint, now on file in said cause, said bill and the matters therein alleged will be held confessed as true and a decree rendered accordingly.

W. H. Black, Sol. for Complainant, Sept. 1, 1897-64w

#### CHANCERY NOTICE

STATE OF ILLINOIS, | SS.
MACON COUNTY, | In the Circuit Court to the October Term,

In the Circuit Court to the October Term,
A. D. 1897.

Asron Goodale vs. Jennie Goodale,
Affidavit of the non residence of the defendant
in the said cause having been filed in the office
of the clork of said court, notice is hereby given
to you, that unless you the said Jennie Goodale,
shall be and appear at the next term of said
court on the first day thereof, to be held at the
court house in Decatur in said county, on the
first Monday of October A. D. 1897, and plead,
answer or demur to the bill of complaint now
on file in said cause, said bill and the matter
therein alleged will be held confessed as true
and a decree rendered accordingly.

D. L. FOSTER, Clerk,
Marshail C. Griffin, Sol. for Com.
August 31, 1897-d4w

#### CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, Se,
MACON COUNTY, Se,
In the Circuit Court of the October Term, A. D.

1897. Valentine Reinheimer vs. Anna Reinheimer-Valentine Reinhelmer vs. Arras hennishmer—Divorce.

Alldavit of the non-residence of the defendant in said cauve having been filed in the office of the clerk of said court, notice is hereby given to you that unless you the said Anna Reinhelmer, shall be and appear at the next torm of said court on the first day thereof, to be held at the court house in Decatur, in said county, on the first Monday of October, A. D. 1887, and plead, answer or demur to the bill of complaint now on file in said couse, said bill and the matters therein alleged will be held confessed as true and a decree rendered accordingly.

B. L. FOSTER, Clerk,

or special tax roll thereof having been made and returned to said court, the final hearing thereon will be had at the September term of said court, commencing on the th day of September, A. D. 1897. All persons desiring may then and there appear and make thely defense.

Decatur, Illinois, August 27, 1897.

C. H. LEON,
LOUIS GOODMAN,
J. M. EHRMAN,
Commissioners.

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Decatur of thereof having been made accessary to make the same.
A certified check in the amount of three hundred dollars must accompany each bid.
All bids will be submitted to the city council any and all oids.
Dated September 3d. A. D. 1897.
Sept. 3-diot

HILINOIS CENTRAL EXCURSIONS

#### SPECIAL TAX NOTICE.

SPECIAL TAX NOTICE.

Public notice is hereby given that the county court in the county of Macon and state of Illinois has rendered judgment for a special tax upon the property contiguous to and benefited by the following local improvement, to-wil:

The construction of a sewer commencing at the north end of the present sewer in the alley between North Morgan and North Broadway streets, running thence north to Lincoin Avenue, as will more fully appear from the certified copy of the judgment on file in my office. Finat a warrant for the collection of such special tax is in the hands of the undersigned.

All persons interested are hereby notified to call and pay the amounts assessed at the collector's office, being the city comptroller's office, in the court house in said city, within thirty days from date hereof.

Dated this 28th day of August. A. D. 1897.

H. F. ROBBINS, City Comptroller and Collector, aug 28-d30t

SPECIAL TAX NOTICE.

public notice is hereby given that the country court in the country of Macon and state of Illinois, has rendered judgment for a special tax upon the property contiguous to and benefited the property contiguous to and benefited in the construction of a sewer commencing at Jasper street sewer on Jasper street in the alley running east and west between Orchard and Condit streets, thence running east to Woodford street, as will more fully appear from the certified copy of the judgment on file in my office. That a warrant for the collection of such special tax is in the hands of the undersigned.

All persons interested are hereby notified to call and pay the amounts assessed at the collector's office, being the city comptroller's office, in the court house in said city, within thirty days from date hereof.

to the court house in said city, within thirty day from date hereof. Dated this 20th day of August, A. D. 1807. H. F. ROBBINS, City Comptroller and Collector.

Through Buffet Sleeping Car to Mackinaw, Mich.
Commencing June 21st, the Vandalla Line will resume through Puliman Buffet Sleeping, Car Service between St. Louis and Mackinaw, Sleepors will run via Terre Haute St. Joseph, Grand Rapids and Peteskoy-Bay View, This will be the only line of through cars from via the control of the control of Michael St. Louis to the delightful and coof resorts of Michael Service, and the season will leave Mackinaw Sunday night, September 23, 1897. For detailed information address nearest Vandalla Line Agent, or R. A. Ford, General Passencer Agent, St. Louis.

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OFFICE-Over Bryan' Clothing Store, Decator

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Office hours 8 to 10 a. m., 2 to 4 p. m., 7 to 8 p. m.
Telsphones Res., 216.
N. Edward 81

#### Administrator's Notice.

Administrator's Inotice.

Estate of W. R. Whitaker, Deceased.

The undersigned laving been appointed administrator of the estate of W. R. Whitaker, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the county ourt of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the November term, on the first Monday in November next, at which time all porsons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 23d day of August, 1897.

L. R. WOODCOCK, Administrator.

#### Administrator's Notice. Estate of John C. Bair, Deceased.

Estate of John C. Bair, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed administrator of the estate of John C. Bair, late of the county of Macon and state of Hilmois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the county court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the October term, on the first Monday in October next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons included the said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 20th day of August, 1807.

CHARLES W. BAIR, Administrator.

Aug. 20-d3w

Administrator's Notice. Estate of Frederick Jostes Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed administrator of the estate of Frederick Jostes, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that be will appear before the county court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the October term, on the first Monday in October next, at which-time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

dersigned.

Dated this 18th day of August, 1897.

WILLIAM T. LINDLEY,

aug 14-daw

Administrator.

Fublic notice is hereby given that the contract for the construction of the stone curbing on East Wood street from the west line of Broadway street, east to the weat line of Webster street, and on Webster street from the north line of Wood street south to the north line of Marlon street, according to the plans and specifications of an ordinance relating thereto, passed by the city council of the city of Decatur, on the 21st day of June, A.D. 1897, will be let to the lowest responsible bilder, and that assated bids will be received at the office of the city clerk of said city, from the date hereof until 5 o'clock p. m. of Monday, the 13th day of September, A. D. 1897, for the construction of said local improvement, including labor, materials and all other matters necessary to make the same.

A certified check in the amount of three bundred dollars must accompany each bid.

All bids will be submitted to the city council and said city council reserves the right to reject.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL EXCURSIONS. Homeseekers' Excursions to points Northwest, West, Southwest and South on August 3d and 17th, Sept. 7th and 1st, Oct. 5th and 19th. One fare, plus \$2.00 round trip. Tickets good 21 days. Stop over on going trip.

Clampaign, III., account of Champaign county fair. Tickets sold August 31 to Sept. 3. good returning Sept. 4. One and one-third fare round trip.

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Hoomington, Ill., August 27 to Sept. 5; good returning until and including Sept. 6th, account Central Illinois Holiness Camp meeting. One and one-third fare found trip.
For information and rates call on W. L. Smith, Unioh Depot, or T. Peniwell, P. T. A., 121 E. William street.

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#### Railroad Column

R. R. TIME TABLES.

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\*Daily. +Daily except Sunday. Vandalin Line.

Vandalis Line.

In effect May 10, 1897.

Trains Leave Decatur, Hilicols.

FOR THE WEST.

No. 7, Ex., Sun., 1:50 a. m. For Feoris

No. 21, Ex. Sun. 7:00 a. m. For Terre Hanks

No. 2, Ex., Sun., 1:40 a. m. For Terre Hanks

No. 12, Ex. Sun. 7:40 a. m. For Terre Hanks

For complete Time Card, giving all trains and stations, and for full information as to rates, through cars, etc., address J. C. Millspaugh, T. P. A., Decatur, Ith., or E. A. Ford, Gen'l Fass.

Agt., Et. Louis, Mo.

Illinois Central. | Diamond Special, | daily | 1:25 a m | No. 104, daily | 1:25 a m | No. 104, daily | 1:25 a m | No. 104 freight ex. | Sunday | 1:20 p m | No. 107 pass. ex. | Sunday | 1:20 p m | No. 703 (Champ'n line) leaves, ex. | Sunday | 10:19 a m | No. 120 daily to | No. 704 - to Chicago, via Champ'n line) arrives ex. | Sunday | 1:25 p m | No. 120 daily to | No. 703 - From | Chicago, daily to | St. Louis | 2:38 p m | Deports | Decarate and Evamentific

Peoria, Decatur and Evansville. Arrive from Peorla | Arrive from Evansville | A No. 1 | 10:42 a. m. A No. 2 | 2:41 p. m | D No. 3 | 10:10 p. m. | A No. 4 | 6:15 a. m. | A No. 11 | 2:30 p. m. | B No. 36 | 7:10 a. m. | S No. 41 | 11:10 a. m. | 8 No. 40 | 3:10 p. m. Depart for Peorla
Depart for Ryansville
A No. 2. 2.47 p. m. A No. 1. 10:50 a. m.
A No. 4. 6:35 a. m. D No. 3. 10:50 a. m.
S No. 38. 7:38 a. m. A No. 11. 2:50 a. m.
S No. 40. 6:39 p. m. S No. 41. 11:30 a. m.
A No. 10. 10:42 a. m.
"A"—Daily Except
Sunday.

Indiana, Decatur & Western Ry Co. No. 1 Pass. ... 2:25 p m No. 4 Pass ... 10:50 p m No. 8 Pass ... 4:00 a m No. 2 Pass ... 11:25 a m 7 10:00 a m 8 4:00 a m 13:25 a m 15:25 a m 16:00 a m 16 16:00 a m 17 16:00 a m 17 16:00 a m 18 16:00

WABASH EXCURSIONS. The Wabash Railroad will sell excursion tickets at greatly reduced rates to the following meetings:

\*Daily, †Except Sunday, !Sunday only

Summer tickets now on sale to the mountains Semmer tickets now on sale to the mountains and sea shore.

Termessee Contonnial and International Exposition, Nashville, Tenn., May 1st to Oct. 31st.

Sunday low rate tickets will be sold from all stations east of Mississippi River, except to points north of Bemont on Chicago Division. Sundays at very low rates—good geling and and returning Sunday only.

St. Louis and return. Tickets sold every Saturday afternoon and Sunday. One fars round trip.

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Limescekers Excursions to principal parts in the South, West and Southwest on the first and third Thesdays of each month; good returning overy Tuesday or Friday for 21 days. One lare, plas 25, 46, for the reund trip.

Indianapolis, Ind., account N. of V. Sell Sept, 8th and 8th; good returning till Sept, 18th. Columbus, O., account Union Veteran Legion National Encampment. Bell September 21 and 22; good returning till Sept. 27, 36,70 round trip.

Springheld, Ill., account Huffalo Bill's Wild West and Congress of Rough Riders. One and one-third fare round trip. Sell Sept. 27; good returning till Sept. 28.

Columbus, O., account Catholic Benevotent Society of the U.S. One fare round trip. Sell Sept. 18th, 17th and 18th; good returning till Sept. 18.

Edwardsville, Ill., account Madison Co. celebration. Sell Sept. 14 Shd 15, good till Sept. 18.

One and one-third fare.
Columbus, O., account rounion of Army of West Virgiola. Sell Sept. 7 and 8, 46.70 round trip, good for rive days with privilege of extonsion to Sept. 22.

One way Settlers' tickets to the South sold on the first and third Tuesdays of each month at greatly reduced rates.

Bt. Louis, Mo., account Exposition. Sell Sept. 28.

Bt. Louis, Mo., account Exposition.

For full information regarding dates of sale limits of tickets, rates, maps and descriptive advertising matter, write or apply to C. A Pol-luck, passonger and ticket agent Wabsen rat, road, Decatur, Ilis.

I., D. & W. Railway Excursions.

Sunday Trains. "

Beginning Sunday Trains.

Beginning Sunday, May 30th, the P., D. & E. Rallway will put on their Sunday trains. Train No. 40 will loave Decatur at 3:30 p. m. for all points north and northwest, making good connections at Peorla, Train No. 41 leaves Decatur at 11:30 a.m. for all points south and southeast, making good connections at Evansville with the L. & N. for the exposition and other points south. This will enable all who want to spend a day outing or with friends to do so. For further information apply to the Information apply the Information apply to the Infor

Service Annual Property of the Second

I., D. & W. Railway Excursions.

Excursion ticksts at greatly reduced rates to the following meetings:
Indianapolis, Ind., account S. of V. Seil Sept. sth and 9th, good returning till Kept. 16.
Special rates to Bidomingdale Glens overy day for plenie parties.
Bimmer tickets now on sale to the mountains and to the seashere.
Home seekers excursions to principal points in the south, southwest and west on the first and third Tuesdays of each month. Good returning every Tuesday or Friday for twenty-one lays. One fare plus & for round trip.
One way settlers' tickets sold to the South on the lirst and third Tuesdays of each month at greatly reduced rates.
Warsaw (Eagle Lake) and, account Wilcons Assembly. Seil deally till Aug. 31st, good returning 15 days from date of sale, \$7.10 round trip.
Tennessee Contennial and international X-position, Nashville, Tonn., May lat to Oct 31st.
Columbus, Ohio, account Catholic Benevolent Society of the U. S. One fare round trip. Sell Sept. 25th.
Columbus, O., account Union Veteran Legion National Encampment. Sell Sept. 21 and 22, good returning till Sept. 27. \$0.50 round trip. Indianapolis, account Union Veteran Legion National Encampment. Sell Sept. 21 and 22, good returning till Sept. 25th.
Columbus, O., account reunion of Army of Tuesday and Wadnesday, Sept. 14th and 16th, at the extremely low ras of Sa.50 round trip. This includes admission ticket to the fair. Tickets good returning till Sept. 26th. Special altraction Wednesday, match race between Siar Pointer (1994), champion of the world, and 30e Patchen.
Columbus, O., account reunion of Army of West Virginia; sell Sept. 7 and 8. \$6.70 round trip. Tils 15.00 to one of the world, and 30e Patchen.
Columbus, O., account Douglas county fair. \$1.00 to out of the world, and sold reflection wednesday, match race between Siar Pointer (1994), champion of the world, and 30e Patchen.
Columbus, O., account Douglas county fair. \$1.00 to out of the world, and other good returning till Sept. 2 and 8. \$6.70 round trip. Tils \$1.00 to out of th

and dun; good returning till sopt 11th.

For full information regarding dates of sale, itmits of tickets, rate, maps and descriptive advertising matter write or apply to K. Harwood, Jeneral Agent, or C. A. Poliock, Ticket Agent, D. & W. Raikoad, Decatur, Ill.

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#### LOCAL NEWS.

Vive Cameras, Opera House drug store. Fig Syrup 35 cents a bottle at Irwin's

what is needed just now. Make it solid

Irwin's Rock balsam is a rel'able cough and cold cure.

Trunks, 15 cents. Davis' 10 cent delivery, 564 N. Water.

Sanday Supt. E. A. Gastman will read ermon at the Baptist church.

Smoke the Litle J., 5-cent cigar, made by Jacob Keck. Go to Henry's bakery for all kinds of bread, cakes, pics, etc.

Second hand school books wanted at

Take the Wabash to St. Louis next Saturday or Sunday for \$1.50 round trip ---

Go to Spencer & Lehman's for wood numps, iron pumps, force pumps, etc .-

The "tin wedding" of Mr. and Mrs. William Hamsher will be celebrated at

If you want the best plastering done on short notice call up 528, new 'phone. We also have the best cement for sidewalks in the city. Decatur Hard Plaster Co .-

Members of the Knight Templar were at the depot this morning to meet the visiting members of the order who arrived our employes to attend the funeral. ere to attend the funeral of the late J.

In cases of burns, sprains, scalds, or any of the other accidental pains likely to come to the human body, Dr Thomas' Electric Oil gives almost instant relief. Sold by Bell, the druggist

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Go to St. Louis next Saturday and Suuday over the I. C. R. R. Only \$1.50 ound trip.—31 td

In the free for all pace in the Delavan races Thursday Dr Kelly, F. T Phillips' horse, took first money, winning the first, third and fourth heats and breaking the local track record. In the three year old trot Dolly Anderson, an Anderson Wilkes mare, took first money, winning to his beavenly home, therefore three straight beats

The police were called to the south part of the city yesterday afternoon to quiet a disturbance. A boy named Clegborn was drunk and making threats with a knife. He had made his escape when the police reached the scene of the trouble.

Members of the Ladies' Aid society and of Mary R. Hamsher, 1006 East Main street, tonight to make arrangements to attend the funeral of John W. Roby.

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Reuben D. Kelly, indicated a year ago last June for abduoting a girl from ber home in the northwest part of the county, was arrested Thursday in Minier by Sheriff Nicholson and a constable of Tazewell county. He was brought back to this city and is now in jail. His purents reside at Maroa and they were here to see him, Friday. They went back home and expect to get bond for the young man and have him released in a few days. Kelly was married only a short time ago and has been living north of Hopedale. His hand will be \$600.

Band Concert at Riverside. On Sunday afternoon Goodman's band will give a grand free concert at Riverside park to which all are cordially invited. Playing will begin at an early hour and there will be an extra feast of music. Go down on the cars.--3-2t

The tennis tournament was practically was the winner of the singles and received the diamond ouff buttoons which were Starr before he can play the winner himself. The doubles were won by Wester man and Schroll. The tournament has proved a great success.

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VIEWING THE BODY.

Thousands of People Looked Upon the Remains of J. R. Jorin for the Last Time.

The remains of the late J. R. Gorin, whose funeral is in progress this afternoon, lie in state at the First M. E.church teday from 11 a. m. until 1 p. m., in charge of members of Beaumanoir Commandery, Knights Templar, and thou sands of people called to take a last look at the face and form of the deceased-one who had mingled with the people for so many years, and was among the few old est residents in the community. The Pr rangements were simple for the reception of friends, in keeping as nearly as possible with the modest life of the departed who cared nothing for estentation and display. Asleep in death the deceased looked as natural as life. Truly he looked as if he was only asleer, as he rested in his casket. He was a friend of everybody A well paved street to Fairlawn park is and it was not strange that so many called at the church. He was admired and beloved by a large number of people. They always enjoyed his spotety and delighted to converse with bim about old times in Decatur. Shortly after 1 o'clock the casket was closed and prepared for the funeral service.

The church is crowded this afternoon by friends of the deceased to pay their last tribute of respect to his memory. The interment will be in Greenwood cemetery with Masonic ceremonies.

Action by Bankers

At a called meeting of the Bankers of Decatur, held September 3, 1897, to give expression to their sentiments in regard to the death of Jerome R. Gorin, it was nnanimouely

"Resolved. That in his removal from our midst we have lost one who for many years was intimately associated with the history of banking in Decatur and who possessed our confidence and esteem in an eminent degree; that his deep interest in the welfare of Decatur, his kindly and social disposition, together with his sterling integrity, ondearing him to a large circle of intimate acquaintances, has left a void difficult to fill, therefore

"Resolved, That as a mark of respec for his memory the banks of Decatur will close tomorrow at 2 p. m. to allow us and

"Resolved That a copy of this pream ble and resolutions he furnished to the family of the deceased and the city papers. Peddecord, Burrows & Co.

J. Millikin & Co. National Bank of Decatur. Citizens' National Bank. Good Templars.

Decatur lodge of Good Templars, No. 364, took action last night on the death of J. R. Gerin, who became a member of this lodge on its being organized in 1874. Short talks were made by A. F. Smith, J. H. Rainey and others and the follow ing committee were appointed to draw up resolutions and send suitable floral offer ings: D. L. Bunn, Mrs. Lizzie Wisgand continue with the work of carrying out church trouble was at its hottest 15 and Mrs J. H. Rainey.

Action by W. C. T. U.

"Wherons, As in Divino providence our brether, Jerome B. Gorle, after a long and useful life, has been suddenly called

"Resolved, That is his death we have one in whom we have ever found a firm brick with red trimmings. The main believer in our principles and a warm ad vocate of our cause.

"Resolved, That we extend to the famtheir affliction and commend them to the unmarried men and those who are unable fabricators with which this city in infestloving care of our heavenly Futher, who to live in cottages. The building if erected. doeth all things well.

"Resolved, That these resolutions be be a very handsome structure. spread upon the records of the W. C. T. U, and copies prepared for the press and

> G. A. Underwood, 'U. C. Beadles, M. E. Crissey.

L. M. Brown,

Committee Noted Crooks.

Thomas O'Brien, alias Kit O'Brien, s portorious thief, safe blower and pickdalia, Mo., in 1890.

Death of an Infant,

The six weeks old daughter of Marie Watson, known as Modjeska, died last night at 7 o'clook at the residence of her mother, No. 511 East North street. The remains were burled at Greenwood cemetery at 1 o'clook this afternoon.

About Oysters.

Owing to the extreme hot weather it will be impossible to bandle bulk oysters for the present. You can get canned stew, scollop or frying oyeters by the can jured Mr. Mowry had been dragged half finished yesterday and Baldwin Starr at the Pearl Oyster and Fish Co. Telephone 344.-1 d46

Repairing His House.

for making some improvements at Charles any damages. He thought that somebody must first defeat all the men beaten by Walters residence on West Prairie avenue. Several new rooms will be added and new porches will be built.

Talk on Camping.

"Camping in the Mountains" will be the subject of a short prelude by Rev George F. Hail at the Tabernacle tomor-

E. W. Wood, J. G. Cloyd and D. H. Cloyd left this morning for Three Lakes, the tears were streaming. The boy was Wis., where they will spend several weeks not seriously hurt. There will be a set-

## ODD FELLOWS' HOME A STATEMENT FROM REV. HALL,

Meeting of the Board of Trustees Held in This City To-Day.

TO CONSIDER PLANS FOR A BUILDING

It is Stated that the Location is Definitely Settled and Will Not be Changed-Foundation Will be Laid This Year.

The members of the board of trustees the Odd Fellows' Old Folks' Home of the St. Nicholas hotel for the purpose of considering plans for the erection of the ton, W. R. Jewell, of Danville and Henry A. Stone, of Vandalia. The home is an institution which shall

the old people. At the list meeting of the grand lodge the purchase of the land, the erection of the building and the carrying out of the entire plans were placed in the hands of the trustees giving them full power to exercise their judgment. The land has already been purchased and site for the bome comprises 186 acres of

have no effect with the action of the board are in favor of the present location change. The trustees are already in possession of the land at Mattoon and the receive. So much for my dishonesty. members of the board state that they will the original plans. Today the plans and months ago word was brought to me specifications of the building will be lock- that if I would resign and leave the city ed over, It is expected the foundation

wilt be laid this year. the architect, are for a large building, 180 fore. Not in the habit of being purchasfeet long and about 100, feet wide. The lost a true friend, and safe counseller, and main part of the building is of yellow something my judgment could not appart of the building is in the middle and on each side are two large wings. In till the cows come home. If there is not the building will be offices, dining rooms, a literal lake of fire and brimstone there ily and friends our heartfelt sympathy in kitchen, etc., and sleeping rooms for the really ought to be for some of the wilful d according to the plans submitted wil

ALMOST A RUNAWAY.

A Scared Team on North Main Street Does Damage at the Johnson Bakery.

the Johnson bakery, emashing in the to pay all damages at once, but Mr. looked after his boy first. The little fellow had an ugly bruise on the back of his head and it was bleeding. Nobody could tell at the time who badly the boy was inway across the street in the dirt. his clothes were solied and he was alarmed about the condition of his son. He was Architect R. O. Rosen is drawing plans in no mood then to talk about paying ought to reimburse him for the damage to his rig and his son, but he told Mr. Johnson not to be in too big a hurry, that he would come around and see him later he had consulted with a lawyer. It was the second accident Mr. Mowry bad been in and he seemed to know what to do. He was not going to be pushed into paying out money on the spot, neither was he going to neglect his son, from whose eyes

rado Street-It Wont Down in the Roddy-Eichinger Failure-Bas Been Paying Rent for Nearly a Year.

Editor Republican. - Since returning

from my eight weeks vacuation, I find that

the liar has been abroad in Decatur, and

as usual made me the victim of his devilish stories. It has been peddled about that the Tabernacle pastor is a dishonest man in that he is living in a house for which he refuses to pay. As Decatur is a husiness town, any reflection upon one's financial integrity here is injurious to his standing, and right well do my enemies snow it. The truth in this matter is bis: Three years ago Frank Roddy, who was then an active member of my church and apparently one of the best friends I had, erected a bandsome residence for me at 846 West Eldorado street, for which I was to pay \$50 down and \$50 a month until the whole was paid, \$4600. Knowing nothing whatever about real estate Illinois, held a meeting this afternoon at business, I never consulted the county records, taking Frank's word for it that the title was clear, and everything all home. The plans were submitted by Ar- right. I paid the \$50 down and signed chitect E J. Hodgin, of Matteon. The 91 notes for the balance, payable at the members of the board are C. F. Mans- office of Jessa Leforges & Son. I acceptfield, chairman, Judge Henry Phillips, of ed a bond for a deed. Things moved Virginia, Iil., Julius R. Raibic, of Allalong merrily for a few months, when my church got behind with me on salary several hundred dollars, and I got behind with Roddy. He began to press me, and e supported by the Grand Lodge of Odd I began to investigate. Imagine my sur-Fellows of this state. It is a refuge for prise when I found that the place had been mortgaged for \$3700-really all it was worth-and there was no assurance whatever of my ever getting what I was trying to pay for. About this time Roddy failed and the property fell into the Eichinger Jack Race nixup, where it stands today, a receiver having been apthe trustees are in possession of it. The pointed to collect rents while the dispute is pending. The Building and Loan asland near Mattoon, Ill. The plan is to sociation practically owns it, and to this erect a large main building and also to firm the rent goes. For nearly a year I have smaller cottages. The land will be have been paying \$25 a month rent. I used for farming and market gardening. have no more claim on the bouse than the There has been some comment in the man in the moon. After paying \$500 on newspapers lately to the effect that there the original contract, I ceased for good would be a change made in the location and sufficient reasons. No business man of the home. This comment arose from in Decatur can blame me for refusing to the fact that Henry A. Stone, one of the put money in a ship that had already members of the board of trustees filed sunk. The notes—plain notes of hand with the grand lodge several days ago an that no real friend should ever have alobjection to the home being located at lowed me to sign --were turned over by Matteon. Today one member of the Roddy to some of his many creditors as a board stated that the objection would sort of cheap collateral I understand, and some of the parties holding these notes board. All others were in favor of the have sued me on them. I have not paid home being at Mattonn and that the board a cent on them, nor do I intend to do so. would continue with the work. The I consider that any man who would is a grand lodge placed the matter in the subject for the fool-killer's consideration, hands of the trustees with full power and The notes read "for value received." I as it is stated that the majority of the paid well for all the value I ever received while Roady was solvent. I do not now it is very unlikely that there will be any propose to pay outside parties a penny for something I never received, nor ever can

I would like to add that when our those notes would cause me no more tronble. The proposition made me more in-The plans submitted by Mr. Hodgin, dignant if possible than I had been beed, nor driven, nor cajoled into doing prove, I simply remained at my post, where I still stand, and expect to stand Geo. F. Hall.

Bob Stewert is Uanble to Tell How He was Injured Yesterday-Was Seri-

It is still a mystery as to how Bob Stewart was injured yesterday. He rented a This forenoon a team was passing in wheel yesterday from Paul Hickisch and front of Johnson's bakery on North Main | went out the East William street read for street when the horses took fright at an a ride. About 4 o'clock in the afternoon approaching car. The horses were not one of the Chappell boys found Stewart in constomed to such things and they a semi-conscious condition at the side of whirled around for a run, tipping over the road. A badly broken wheel was the buggy and throwing the occupants found near by. He was unable to tell out, injuring a small boy on the back of bow he was hurt. He was taken to his in the Springfield jail for burglary. They bis head. The driver held on to the lines home and Dr. McLean and Dr. H. M. were indentified yesterday by Wabash De. and prevented a runaway. The occupants Wood were called to attend him. Today tective Applegate, who was called to of the rig were Edward Mowry, a tenant he was able to talk at times but he said Springfield yesterday for that purpose. on the I. R. Mills farm near Casner, Mr. that he could remember nothing of the O'Brich tried to kill Mr. Applegate at Se- Mowry's little boy, and a young man accident and did not know how he come named Gleason. All three were spilled to be hurt. His face is badly swollen on out, the top of the buggy was wrecked, one side and the physicians think that he and the horses collided with the front of is suffering with concussion of the brain. No one seems to know anything of the

street door, besides causing other damage accident. The rented wheel which was at the Cruthers' restaurant. Mr. John. taken out by Stewart could not be found son made an effort to get Farmer Mowry and nothing was known of it excepting that the Chappell boy saw it in the road. When Stewart entirely regains his conmowry told the baker to wait until be sciousness he will probably be able to tell something about the accident.

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Alarm in the South Over tigation of the Fever

ing in Ocean Springs,

PRONOUNCED BY ALL YELL

State Board of Health of Lou ing Steps to Guard Ocean Springs-Hop

Ocean Springs, Miss, S have pronounced the disca here as yellow fever.

REPORT REC'D BY GOV

rine Hospital Agree It is hel Jackson, Miss., Sept. 6 - G two members of the state box who went to Ocean Springs investigate the yellow fever sar: "After the most thor gation, in every conceivable i unanimous opinion of the reof Louisians, Alabama and pital service, that the fever n in Ocean Spring is yellow fe

WILL BE QUARAN Effortsito Completely Isolate

and Frevent the Spre New Orleans, La., Sept. cione at Ocean Springs, and prevailing sickness undoubt

fever. Dectors from three WAR IN IND English Troops Will Attack

ation of Order. London, Sept. 6 .-- At this appears to be no reason to the government will fail to on the Indian frontier. Alm indications of a lack of any leation among the tribesn the districts adjacent to the and public opinion here, first alarmed and confused ! of outbroaks, feels reassure nouncement that military a large scale are in progra being 10,000 men now acc

and 80,000 men in reserve Reports received Saturda the Airidis became quiet Orakzais show activity, evi of union which is very gre government. These tribes noted together, might ser the peace of India, but the gather and disperse like highland claus, and the E forces, after preliminary bi port, finally are set in moti

restored aftera few skirm! Future outbreaks will be and the chances are in fav nent occupation of the dist quieted. It is in this way frontiers are constantly e after an expensive milita seems cheaper to occupy th to retire and ultimately

Indian experts are con Turkish victories have en ism among the Mohamme and that this is the objef of breaks on the Indian from is paying beavily in India to take a stronger line o Armenias and Cretan Salisbury is now, how great firmness and persis the Greek settlement und tee by France, England a payment of the war inden trol of certain sources of He is likely to carry his ! meddlesome actilyty of